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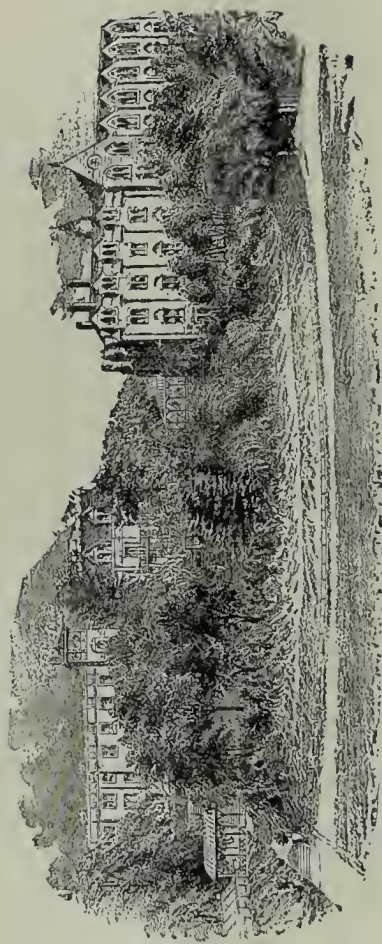
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Prospectus for 1908 and 1909.

Midsummer Holidays.—The Midsummer Holidays for 1908 will commence Tuesday and Wednesday, the 28th and 29th July, 1908.

Musical Recitals.—Subscribers and donors will, upon application, receive tickets entitling them for twelve months from payment of subscription or donation to attend the Professors' Pianoforte and Organ Recitals on the first Friday and third Tuesday of any month, except August, September, and January.

These Recitals are held between 5.30 and 6.15 p.m. in the Gardner Hall of the College.

Pupils' Recitals.—The pupils of each of the musical Professors give recitals as a test of progress during each term, for which subscribers' and donors' tickets are available. Dates will be forwarded upon application to the Principal.

Visitors' Day.—These are held on the first Thursday of every month, except August, September, and January, from 3.15 to 5.30 p.m. Friends and supporters are requested to invite their friends to come and see the work in actual progress on these occasions. Cards of admission will be gladly supplied upon application to the Principal.

Collecting Cards for friends interested in aiding our national work may be obtained from the Principle.

Scholarship Examinations. — Examinations for Gardner Scholarships tenable at the College are held in January, April, and September. These Scholarships are open to the young Blind of England and Wales over the age of sixteen. As vacancies not infrequently occur between the dates of the regular examinations, it is most important that parents and friends of intending candidates should have them examined as early as possible so that their names may be entered on the Scholarship register.

Annual Report of the Royal Normal College.

The most gratifying and important event which the Royal Interest. Executive Committee have to report for the year 1907 is the signal mark of royal favour in support of our national work for the Blind, shown by the presence of Their Gracious Majesties the King and Queen at a Concert and Gymnastic Display given by our pupils. The presence of the Prince and Princess of Wales, the Princess Victoria, and the Landgraf of Hesse, who accompanied Their Majesties, further illustrated the kindly interest which members of the Royal family, as Patrons and Vice-Patrons, have always shown in the College from its foundation. This proof of Royal confidence in our work will, we honestly hope, serve as an incentive to such further effort as will enable the College Authorities to wipe off all liabilities and so enlarge their sphere of usefulness by being able to admit more pupils.

The following letter was received by the Principal the next morning:—

“ Buckingham Palace,

“ 3rd June, 1907.

“ Dear Dr. Campbell,

“ I am desired by the King and Queen to inform you that they were much pleased with the concert and gymnastics given by your School this afternoon.

“ Their Majesties thought the former was excellent and the performance extremely good, while they considered the latter as being simply wonderful. It was easy for them to perceive that the training, whether it regarded the music or the gymnastics, has evidently attained a high standard.

“ I must add that the King and Queen were also much gratified by all the arrangements, which could not indeed have been better, I hear.

“ Yours very truly,

(Signed) “ KNOLLYS.”

The occasion of Their Majesties' visit was thus described :—

[From "*The Times*" of the 4th June, 1907.]

"THE KING AND QUEEN AT ALBERT HALL."

The King and Queen, the Prince and Princess of Wales, and Princess Victoria were present yesterday at a Concert and Gymnastic Display at the Royal Albert Hall, given by students and graduates of the Royal Normal College and Academy of Music for the Blind, Upper Norwood. Their Majesties were attended by Lady Alice Stanley, the Hon. Charlotte Knollys, Lord Hamilton of Dalzell, Captain Walter Campbell, and Colonel the Hon. H. C. Legge, and the Prince and Princess of Wales by Sir Charles Cust and Lady Alice Stanley.

The Royal party were received at the main entrance by Lord Pembroke, Lord Kilmorey and Mr. Hilton Carter as representing the Royal Albert Hall Authorities, and at the door of the Royal box by Lady O'Hagan, Miss Mundella and Mrs. Wilberforce, Members of the Ladies' Committee of the College, Lord Howard de Walden (President of the College), Lord Selby (Chairman of Executive), the Hon. W. F. D. Smith, M.P., (Trustee), Archdeacon Wilberforce (Member of the Executive), Mr. W. S. Seton-Karr (Chairman of the Gardner's Trust for the Blind), and Dr. Campbell Principal of the College. The Queen graciously accepted a bouquet from Mary Jameson, and the Princess of Wales a Bouquet from Mabel Fleming, two little girls in the Kindergarten Department of the College. The Bouquets, together with the floral decorations of the Royal box and the platform, were the gift to the College of Messrs. Felton & Sons; and Messrs. Waring and Gillow furnished the private rooms adjoining the Royal box without charge to the Institution.

The large audience gave Their Majesties and the Prince and Princesses a hearty welcome as they entered the box, and

the orchestra played the National Anthem. Dr. Cummings, Principal of the Guildhall School of Music, conducted the musical portion of the programme, and brought with him an orchestra composed of students from the Guildhall School. The choir consisted of students from the College. The organ solo "Concert Overture," with which Mr. Victor Spanner opened the programme, is the work of Mr. Hollins, a graduate of the College. A part song "Lullaby" (Elgar), came next, and was followed by a madrigal for female voices "The Nightingale" (Weelkes, 1600), by the Westminster Glee Club, and madrigals by the Choir—"The Silver Swan" (Gibbons) and "All Creatures now are Merry" (Benet); Mr. Stuart Moncur sang "O Ma Maitresse" (David), and then came the humorous glee "Little Jack Horner," (Caldicott) by the Choir: a pianoforte duet "Scène de Bal," by the composer (Mr. Watling a student of the College) and Mr. J. Crowley, another student; and a chorus "Song of the Vikings" (Eaton Fanning), by the Choir and Orchestra. The Concert was brought to a close by the performance of Mendelssohn's "Capriccio Brillante" for Pianoforte and Orchestra, Op. 22. Master Kershaw, who was at the pianoforte, was heartily cheered for the way in which he played his part. It is an interesting fact that Mr. Watling and Mr. J. Crowley, A.R.C.O., have just received appointments as organists, one at Wood Green and the other at Croydon.

The second part of the programme consisted of a demonstration by the students of the College, under the direction of Mr. Guy Campbell, of physical exercises, which included marching and dumb-bells, performances on parallel bars, iron wand exercises, and vaulting horse pyramids, all of which illustrated the efficient and careful training carried out at the College. The various exercises were performed by the students with remarkable accuracy of movement. The music accompanying the dumb-bell and the iron wand exercises was composed by Mr. Watling.

The entertainment closed with the singing of "God save the King." His Majesty on leaving asked Lord Pembroke and Lord Kilmorey to say to those who had carried out the entertainment, "We have enjoyed the whole performance immensely, and think it very wonderful."

Resignation of
The Rt. Hon.
Jas. A.
Campbell.

We have to report, with great regret, that in April last the Rt. Hon. J. A. Campbell was compelled to resign his post of Chairman on account of failing health and we desire to record our appreciation of the great services he rendered the College both by his wise counsel and financial help. Mr. Campbell's interest in the establishment of the College dates from 1871. In that year the Principal visited Glasgow and a meeting was held at the rooms of the Y.M.C. Association. The objects of the proposed College were fully explained, and it was stated that Dr. Armitage and other friends were in favour of opening an experimental school if £3,000 could be obtained. Mr. J. A. Campbell and Sir Peter Coats after a brief conference announced that they would each give £250 if another £500 were subscribed. The remaining amount was soon promised and a Scholarship Committee formed of which Mr. Campbell and Mr. Wm. Auchincloss Arrol became the Treasurers. In July, 1872, the Glasgow Committee sent eight pupils to the College, and from that time has continued to send pupils from Glasgow and the West of Scotland.

Glasgow
Scholarship
Committee.

Mr. J. A. Campbell joined the Executive Committee in 1881, and became its Chairman in 1897. Although unable to take any active part in the government of the College, Mr. Campbell still continues, as a Vice-President and Trustee, to display the warmest interest in its work.

Election of
Lord Selby.

The Rt. Hon. Viscount Selby kindly consented to succeed Mr. Campbell as Chairman of the Executive Committee.

Objects of the
College.

It may not be out of place here to remind Subscribers and others interested in the education of the Blind, of the special aims of the Royal Normal College. It is to give a complete

education and training, especially in music, to blind pupils, with a view to fitting them to be self-supporting members of the community. For this purpose it is necessary to have an Institution where continual attention is paid to health, and where there are appliances for physical exercise, devised to make the pupils alert and active in body and in mind. The instruction in ordinary subjects is given by teachers well qualified to deal with the Blind and interest them in their work, awakening their intelligence and promoting their mental development and progress. The daily endeavour is to promote self-reliance, and fit the pupils to take their places with sighted and other competitors. Instruction in music and technical arts, including shorthand, typewriting and pianoforte tuning, is given under the best instructors and with the best appliances to pupils prepared to profit by such teaching, as they have already acquired a good groundwork and active habits in the exercise ground, in a gymnasium, skating rink, swimming bath, etc. This training is accompanied by a strict but kindly surveillance of the conduct and demeanour of the pupils. Where exceptional musical talent is exhibited, special instruction is provided for its proper development.

The average number of pupils for the year was 143, and Pupils. with few exceptions their work and conduct has been satisfactory. The following Certificates and Diplomas have been gained during the year :—

LITERARY DEPARTMENT.

Certificates
and Diplomas.

Training College Certificates.

Second year	...	...	...	Dora Burrell
"	...	...	...	Emily Johns.
Preliminary Examination	...			Cissie Till.
"	"		...	Edith Manning.
"	"		...	Margaret Sullivan.
Typewriting Certificate	...	...		Mabel Lungley.
London University Matriculation				William Jackson.

MUSIC DEPARTMENT.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF ORGANISTS—

Associateship	...	...	...	Victor Spanner.
"	...	...	...	Thomas Moyes.
Fellowship	...	...	...	James Crowley.

ROYAL ACADEMY OF MUSIC—

Licentiate'ship	Pianoforte	...	William Laurie.
"	"	...	Victor Spanner.
"	Singing	...	Alice Biffin.

ROYAL NORMAL COLLEGE—

Pianoforte Tuning	Certificates	...	William Aiton.
"	"	...	Alfred Evans.
"	"	...	Harold Jones.
"	"	...	Patrick Keiley.
"	"	...	Leonard Kick.
"	"	...	George McPherson.
"	"	...	Sidney Mitchley.

Cart Prize. At the July Examination for Associateship in the Royal College of Organists, Victor Spanner obtained the highest marks out of 220 Candidates, and won the Henry Cart prize.

Emily Johns who left in July is acting as a substitute in one of the L.C.C. Schools. Mabel Lungley having obtained a situation as typist in a large firm of Builders' Merchants is giving satisfaction. William Jackson has entered Wadham College, Oxford. Thomas Moyes, just before taking his Associate Examination, went to Scotland to compete for an organ appointment. He was unanimously elected, and has taken up his duties as Organist of Erskine U. F. Church, Stirling. Of the Pianoforte Tuners, two secured work immediately after leaving with a large Pianoforte firm which already employs six of our tuners. Of the three who left in the spring, two have already made a good start in business; one of them wrote in January: "My books were balanced at the end of the year, and though I have not yet been a year in business, the result was gratifying in the highest degree"; but the third one as yet has not obtained much work. Two who left in July have made a fair start in establishing a private connection as tuners.

The following Reports testify to the character of the work in the Musical Department :—

Reports of
Annual
Examinations.

“ Dear Dr. Campbell,

“ Once more I have great pleasure in assuring you of my sincere appreciation of the splendid work done by the musical students of the Royal Normal College ; and once more I wish to congratulate Mr. Frits Hartvigson and his colleagues on the great results of their labours.

Pianoforte
Department.
Report of Miss
Fanny Davies.

“ In several instances, it was quite impossible to realise that the performances were those of students who are in any way handicapped ; they are taught, and they play, exactly in the same manner as “sighted people.” And in addition, they possess that great quality which is so often neglected by those who are privileged to see as well as to hear, a quality which goes so far toward the achievement of a really musical performance—I mean the great art of listening to themselves.

“ May you have the great success you so richly deserve, and believe me, dear Dr. Campbell,

“ Yours sincerely,

(Signed) “ FANNY DAVIES.”

“ Ten students (nine male and one female) were examined and all showed that they had greatly profited by the very excellent teaching they had received. The playing of the advanced students (Watling, Spanner, Crowley and Laurie) was very commendable, being clear and clean. Interesting compositions for the organ were played by their composers, Watling and Spanner, and showed evidence of capital ability in this direction as well as of careful training.

Organ
Department.
Report of
Dr. F. J.
Sawyer.

“ It is always a pleasure to be of any service to so great and excellent an Institution, and an additional one to be able to testify to the skill and ability of the organ playing of the students, who thus bear testimony to the great value of the teaching they receive.

(Signed) “ FRANK J. SAWYER, D.Mus. Oxon.”

"I have this afternoon examined the students in Harmony and Composition at the Royal Normal College for the Blind, and am glad to be able to congratulate the Principal and the Committee of that Institution on the results obtained.

"In the lower classes I tested the pupils by giving them a simple melody to harmonize, and a few modulations to make at the piano. The results were in no case unsatisfactory, and in several instances surprisingly good. Many of the pupils also played me short melodies of their own composition. Of these Miss Maud Swinney and Miss Edith Best deserve special commendation. Of the male students in the junior class I would select Wilfred Kershaw and Edmund Johnson for special mention.

"In the intermediate classes. I was much struck by the improvisations of Miss Nellie Owen and Mr. Leslie Kenny. In this class the harmonizations of the melodies I set proved the excellence of the teaching no less than the abilities of the pupils.

"It was, however, among the more advanced pupils that the most remarkable talent was shown. A Scena "Guinevere," composed by Miss Lucas, and sung with great intelligence by Miss Davis, was a work of great interest, remarkable for its emotional power as well as for the harmonic resource it showed. The piano accompaniment which in some places is very elaborate, was excellently played by the Composer.

"The male students in the highest class gave some remarkable performances. Mr. Victor Spanner played an extremely clever double fugue of his own composition on the organ, and also gave an admirable improvisation on a theme furnished by myself. Mr. James Crowley who was prevented by illness from being present, sent a well written choral fugue as a specimen of his work. Mr. William Laurie also deserves praise, not only for his composition but, perhaps almost more for his excellent extemporising. Last, but by no

means least, I must name Mr. Horace Watling, a musician of really remarkable ability. He played two very interesting piano pieces of his, and gave a most striking improvisation on the opening theme of the Norwegian National Anthem. A pianoforte duet, in every way admirably composed by him, was excellently played by Messrs. Kershaw and Anstin.

"On the whole the average standard attained by the pupils was very high. I must not conclude this Report without complimenting very warmly. Mr. Stewart Macpherson, the Professor of Theory at the School, on the excellent way in which his pupils have acquitted themselves.

(Signed) "EBENEZER PROUT."

During the year the School has been visited by Mr. H. E. B. Harrison and Dr. A. Eichholz, three times by Dr. H. Hoffert, twice by Mr. Turner and Miss Stansfield, Inspector for the Local Government Board. Visit of H. M. Inspectors.

In accordance with the recommendation of our Hon. Architect Mr. Harding Payne, an important addition was made at the south end of the School Building, which has greatly improved the lavatory accommodation for the girls and enabled us to provide a typewriting room for the advanced typists. Additions to School Building.

By the kindness of His Grace the Duke of Westminster, the Annual Meeting was held at Grosvenor House, May 14th, His Grace the Duke of Argyll, K.T., Vice-President, presided. We give the Resolutions and Extracts from the speeches. Annual Meeting.

The CHAIRMAN :—"Ladies and Gentlemen, there are many names down to speak this afternoon, so I shall be brief. You have already heard of examples of what some of the pupils of this Institution can do, and I can vouch from my own experience for their ability with regard to other forms of music, because on one occasion I had the opportunity of applying for an organist, who was almost at once supplied, The Duke of Argyll.

and has always given the greatest satisfaction to the Minister in the North where he has gone. The same happened in another case in regard to a friend of mine who made a similar application with similar success. I think the most practical way of bringing home to you the success in education undertaken by this College is to read one letter from the Old World, and one from the New, showing the variety of accomplishments which these gentlemen have been enabled to exercise. The first is from Canada: 'I could never have accomplished what I have done in Canada but for the four years I spent in the Royal Normal College. The instruction I received there was invaluable. I refer particularly to the Tuning Department. Although I have not followed up singing, piano, organ or harmony, at the same time the knowledge of these subjects has helped me indirectly in various ways. One can never know too much. I have my diploma framed and hanging in my ware-rooms. Every prospective customer sees this and realises at a glance that they are dealing with an educated and practical man. I also show the bag which was presented to me by a Royal Princess as a tuning prize. This also interests people very much. As you are aware, I am a firm believer in the gymnasium and swimming bath, having won the first silver medal. Pluck and determination are what the Blind need to succeed. I came to Canada in 1887 without a dollar, and after I had been here two years, saved about 250 dollars. My younger brother who was then in the grocery business in this city, joined me. We made a start with 500 dollars in buying and selling pianos. It has been very up-hill work, both of us having to work a great deal of time both day and night, but we are proud to say we are one of the best known piano houses in the province of Quebec. Our capital is about 70,000 dollars. I might mention here that I owe much to dear Dr. Armitage for two very valuable introductions which he gave me to influential gentlemen residing in Montreal.' That, Ladies and

Gentlemen, has been the key-note with regard to the education, nothing is too difficult to do, and it is perfectly marvellous the number of pupils who have followed this example which is set by the gentlemen at the head of the College. The other letter comes from nearer home. 'You kindly ask me to write and tell you how I have been getting on since I left the College. Well, I am pleased to say that both in business and otherwise life is running very smoothly. My duties are to type letters, go out and see clients, and attend to the cash. I have the letters read over to me, and answer them accordingly. The way I can find my way to different clients' offices: one of the clerks looks the firm up in the directory and tells me the number of doors their place is in the particular street, and when I have once learned the office I take care not to forget it. My business is in the property line, and my duty to receive the money from the rent collectors, make it up into packets, the silver and copper, and bank it. I should like to say that although I have to make up a great many silver packets every week, I have never had them wrong; then I have to pay the wages and general cash payments, though of course I cannot make out cheques. I don't think I have ever given out a wrong coin, or what is more important, never received one. Outside my business I spend a very happy life. I still take my horse rides and do a great deal of cycling, and have lately taken to yachting. I can assure you I attribute everything to the splendid training I received at the good old College, where we were taught nothing was too difficult for us to do. I shall always hold you in grateful remembrance.' I think you will agree with me that a man who can do everything for himself but write cheques, is a gentleman who would be acceptable as a private Secretary at Grosvenor House or anywhere else."

W. H. CUMMINGS, Esq., Mus. Doc.:—"Your Grace, Ladies and Gentlemen, you have a programme of to-day's proceedings, and will find that I am to move the first Resolution:—

W. H.
Cummings,
Esq.,
Mus. Doc.

“Considering the Reports of the various eminent Music Examiners, which testify to the thorough soundness and excellence of the musical training of the students, together with the testimony of Clergymen and others who are employing teachers, organists and choir-masters, educated at the Royal Normal College and Academy of Music for the Blind,

“Resolved:—That the promoters of the Royal Normal College are justified in asking for such generous support as will place the College on a permanent foundation.

“I would submit to you that after all the testimonies of professors and teachers of music are of less value than those interesting letters in the Report which have been referred to by the noble Chairman. I hope you have all got Reports: you will find there a most interesting series of letters. Some have to do with music, but there are others which deal with other walks in life, proving that the teaching not only fits the students to become performers or tuners, but for many other occupations. There is an interesting letter from Mr. Bloomfield who is devoting himself to helping his fellow sufferers in the far away East-end. Then there is a letter from Alfred Hollins, one of the former pupils of the School, of whom it is not necessary to say much: but I consider that in his work as organist, composer and performer, he surpasses most of the sighted people I know: his dexterity and extraordinary facility in acquiring a knowledge of all that is necessary in the arrangement of organ stops is far beyond anything in sighted organists. I was at the Prize Day at the Royal College of Organists, and Alfred Hollins came to play the organ. I can assure you the performance was remarkable in every respect, not merely on account of technical detail, but refined for feeling. I have never been more moved at any organ performance.

“I have known the Royal Normal College for thirty years, therefore I have seen in the olden days many of the students

whose names appear in the Report, and I recognise now more emphatically than I did the great value of the work accomplished. At the Royal Normal College nothing was left half done : they began from the very beginning, and went step by step, and by this means the students were prepared to perform those extraordinary things which they achieve now. It seems to me an amazing and mysterious thing that some of the great millionaires have not stepped forward to remove the incubus which lies upon the College. It is a small matter : but if that were taken away the work of the College would not only be carried on as efficiently as it is at present, but it would be vastly extended. Believe me, there is no Institution in London which needs and deserves more generous support than the Royal Normal College. I speak from an intimate knowledge of its work over a long series of years. I now propose the Resolution :—

“ That the promoters of the Royal Normal College are justified in asking for such generous support as will place the College on a permanent foundation.”

The Rev. H. J. R. MARSTON :—“ My Lord Duke, Ladies, my Lords and Gentlemen, I need not repeat, nor indeed emphasize the weighty and pathetic testimony which Dr. Cummings has just borne to the merits and achievements of the Royal Normal College. Now this College has accomplished very much in the past, and what it has accomplished is so well known to most of us here indeed, that we need not dilate upon either the methods or the great objects which have secured for it that great reputation which it so richly deserves, but which have not secured for it a permanency of foundation which it equally deserves, and very urgently declares its need of in Grosvenor House to day. We consider there is every reason why this permanency of foundation should be secured to this Institution. It has proved itself able to meet a great and public want, and it has met that public want over a long series of years. It has coped with one of the most difficult

Rev. H. J. R.
Marston.

and intricate of the problems that beset our race, the problem of blindness. Dr. Campbell has helped to solve these problems, he has suffered for them, he has triumphed over them. These problems are in themselves so acute, and so oppressive that not only is it necessary that an Institution should exist which from time to time should spasmodically cope with them, but that it should exist with a permanency of foundation which will give it adequate chance of dealing with these problems from generation to generation. That is the pith and point of the Resolution which I am to second now. It is indeed remarkable that while this country has endowed such noble places of education and religion owing to the piety of men long since gathered to their rest, this Institution has not managed to secure the equally generous and copious endowment in recent years which its elder brothers have so long enjoyed. I do certainly repeat the appeal which Dr. Cummings made to this great meeting. It would be well to bring to the notice of some of the millionaires who have a few millions floating about, this great work, and ask such an one to contribute adequately to the needs of our Institution. This is a noble mission that would become the most gifted of the leisured ladies who hear me. It will justify your existence in the present London season, and be an occupation for the brief intervals of leisure that you snatch between the fatigues and gaieties of your usual avocations.

“Permit me for a moment to touch upon three points. The noble Chairman has taken from me one of the letters which I was going to refer to. I will remind you that these letters are contributed from writers from different parts of the world, in a great variety of occupations, and some of them by young ladies who are engaged in typewriting. Now, that is a form of occupation admirably adapted to female skill, and I am glad that has been so successfully carried on by some of the former pupils of the school. It is another proof of the ubiquity and catholicity of this Institution. The Report makes mention

of a young lady who is at the head of an Institution for little children in Armenia, a region of the world which periodically makes the other countries of Europe and the reins of Government uncomfortable, until they are sunk back into their normal apathy and indifference. In that land in which so many victims have bled, and bled in vain, one girl from this College is carrying on a noble and useful task in instructing the daughters and sons of Armenia. That is a beautiful and powerful and convincing proof of the way in which the activities of the College are felt in distant parts of the world, and we congratulate Dr. Campbell at Norwood on having contributed something to the amelioration of the woes of Armenia.

“ You must remember that the great difficulty of all blind education lies in this. It lies in what I may call an adequate understanding of the philosophy of hearing and of touch. In order to develop touch to its finest perfection, in order to cultivate the ear to the finest perfection, the greatest assiduity and the most accomplished teachers of the Blind have been at work at the Normal College. You must understand that the loss of the eye is the loss of the dominant factor in the activities of life, therefore the compensation for that loss to a degree such as has been accomplished at the Normal College is one of those almost miracles of modern Christian philanthropy which happily are so common that we have almost ceased to wonder at their performance. Such is the fact, and we congratulate Dr. Campbell on having devoted his sympathy and powers to the realisation of what is meant by the philosophy of hearing and touch in the education of the Blind.

“ One word more. Against the Blind there is always one initial obstacle ; all that they aspire to is barred by an initial want of confidence. To break this down is the steady object of all their friends. What they ask for is this : They ask for a kindly credit and a reasonable trustfulness on the part of the

seeing public. They do not ask for what I may call a devout suspicion or a benevolent prejudgment. They ask for a fair field and no favour. They have this to an extent immeasurably above what they had 30 years ago. They have acquired it by the astonishing conquest which many of them have made under the guidance and inspiration and the genius and piety of Dr. Campbell. The great object of a meeting like this is to break down this want of confidence, to pass on to the whole public through the medium of the Press that those who are assembled here declare that there is no reason why blind boys and girls who are adequately equipped, and therefore justly trustworthy, shall not enter into the competition of life, not without a certain handicap which they cannot lay aside, but without an unnatural and artificial handicap which is put upon them by the suspicion or prejudice of the Christian public. In order to break down this want of confidence this meeting is largely concerned, and we trust it will contribute much to so wholesome and desired a consummation."

The Ven. Arch-
deacon Wilber-
force, D.D.

The Ven. Archdeacon WILBERFORCE, D.D. :

"My Lord Duke, my Lords, Ladies and Gentlemen, I felt perfectly certain the moment I saw the list that if there was a Resolution which was to endeavour to eliminate the shining metal out of the pockets of the audience it would fall to my lot, because from our profession we clergymen have become professional mendicants. I will read the Resolution :

'That this meeting, recognising the great work accomplished by the College during the thirty-four years of its existence in promoting the welfare of the Blind, earnestly urges the claims of the College on the public for financial support, with a view both to the repayment of the existing Mortgage liability on the College premises, and to the increase of Annual Subscriptions for current expenses.'

"I cannot help feeling that that Resolution and the cause which has been pleaded needs no feeble repetition, because not to know the wonderful work that is done by the Royal Normal College argues oneself unknown. . . .

"Dr. Campbell is teaching his world to see by that power of awakening every other faculty which takes the place of eyes, so that the Blind are eyes all over. Now, there used to be a time, Ladies and Gentlemen, when to be under the limitation of physical blindness meant to be like blind Bartimaeus, the recipient of the charity of other people. I remember one of our leading oculists saying that in Paris he was solicited by one such, and he looked down upon the poor man, and his long experience enabled him to know that the man was suffering from the kind of blindness that he was specially skilful in treating. He turned to him and said, 'Silver and gold I have none, but such as I have, give I unto thee—if you will come with me, I will give you back your sight.' 'No,' cried the beggar, 'that would be the greatest injury you could do me, I should have to go to work.' Those days are past. It is now entirely recognised that the loving Power behind phenomena, if He does not send the limitation of physical blindness, enables wonderful faculties of every kind to be awakened to take the place of physical sight. I was reading a charming book, called 'The Friends of Voltaire.' Somebody comes to Voltaire and says he considers every blind person has a hereditary right to be an atheist—how can there be a God behind this phenomenon? Voltaire says, no, so marvellous are the faculties awakened in blind persons, so wonderfully are they able to take their place in life, it is an affirmation of there being behind all phenomena a tender Spirit. That is a remarkable fact, that is being recognised in the present day more and more. . . .

"Some of you have heard of that wonderful optician Saunderson, who was born blind, and yet was able to add to the knowledge of the science of light. There is a historic

fact. We have in Westminster a blind man who acts quite contrary to the saying that the Blind cannot lead the Blind, for he not only can lead the Blind, but he can lead the Seeing. He was going along one day in a dense fog, when someone knocked up against him, and he said, 'Who are you blundering against?' The other man replied, 'There is such a dense fog, I cannot see.' 'Well, do you know where you are,' asked the blind man. 'No,' was the answer. 'You are on Westminster Bridge, where do you want to go?' 'To Charing Cross.' 'Well,' said the blind man, 'hook on to me, and I will take you there.' And he went right there, walking without difficulty. Other faculties were awake which had taken the place of the windows we have got, and these have to be trained, and when they are trained, they bring the most marvellous results. I have been struck by the astonishing moral elevation that you find among the Blind. I was told not long ago of a case in a remote part of London, where there was a mission held by an earnest clergyman, and towards the end of the winter a blind girl came and said to him, 'I want to give something towards the mission,' and she gave him 30s. He said, 'You cannot afford this.' 'Well,' she said, 'I have made a calculation; I calculate that represents the advantage at which I am above all others making baskets in this part of London. It has been a dark winter, and they have been obliged to do basket work by artificial light sometimes during the whole day. I am wholly independant of artificial light, and I calculate that I have been at the advantage represented by 30s. over all the others during this winter, so I want to make the presentation to you of the money I consider I have saved.' You see that these wonderful brothers and sisters seem to have eyes all over them, when they are unfortunately deprived of the ordinary physical eyesight, and you find I have to strengthen the hands of those able teachers who are awakening these faculties. All that costs money. You who are at this meeting gathered

here to-day, would be able, if you chose, not only to wipe off that debt, but to see that the endowment of this glorious Institution was sufficient to carry on, by means of its clever teachers, the awakening of these faculties. Remember that two hundred centuries ago there came One from 'the everywhere into here,' and He poured a new life power into the stagnant current of existence, and going into Galilee, He said to the Blind, 'Ephphatha, be opened,' and when He passed from our vision into the other world by that great mystery that is called the Ascension, before He went He said, 'Because I go to the Father ye shall do greater things than these.' And by means of the work of that College, if you carry it on your hearts and purses, you are fulfilling that prophecy, you are doing 'greater things than those.' He restored these two windows, but you are opening twenty windows in every direction. Just as every single drop of water finds its way to the ocean, so will every pound, every five pounds you give, find its way, identified with the giver to that ocean of uncreated love which is the life of that self giving Power which we call 'Our Father which art in Heaven.' So I plead with you to enter into your privileges, and accepting the responsibility and demands of your gifts to-day, to say to hundreds and thousands of those who are born, or from illness have come under this terrible affliction, to say to the faculties within them, 'Ephphatha, be opened.'

"I have the greatest pleasure in proposing this Resolution to you."

Sir FREDERICK TREVES, Bart.:—"My Lord Duke, Ladies and Gentlemen, I have very great pleasure in seconding the Resolution that has been so eloquently proposed by Arch-deacon Wilberforce. I, who have spent all my life in hospitals, say that I know nothing more lamentable than a home for the Blind. One point in connection with the Royal Normal College has not been alluded to, and I think it is an important one. I need not say how great a part health plays in the

Sir Frederick
Treves, Bart.

happiness of individuals. It is impossible to be really happy unless you are well. The Blind have this misfortune; their trouble prevents them from taking exercises, and especially out of door exercise. I think it can be said that in the past the physical health of the Blind has been gravely neglected. In a large number of cases it was a question not merely of blindness but of ill-health added to blindness. The care taken of the pupils at the Royal Normal College is little short of marvellous, and I do not think that this city presents any spectacle so astonishing as the spectacle in that College. Their training is perfect. It is training which does away with the feebleness, the helplessness of the blind, which renders unnecessary that groping in the dark. It gives them courage, confidence, and increased efficiency. There is a gymnasium which is practically complete in every particular under the most able guidance of Mr. Guy Campbell. He has done a work, the value of which could not be exaggerated. Another thing which is curious to see in a home for the Blind is a swimming bath: more than that expert swimmers and expert divers. A person who can see is shy of diving into a deep pool, but these gallant lads dive well. Of all curious things are a skating-rink, the running of races, cycling, boating, and learning to row on the lake in the College grounds. But I think the most astonishing thing of the series is the skating-rink. We want all our faculties to stand on ice, but here is a skating-rink for the Blind, and such admirable work done within its walls that when one looks into the rink, it is hard to believe that the skaters are blind.

"Now His Grace and others have alluded to the remarkable letters contained in the Report, and I should like to trouble you with extracts from some of them. There is this remarkable feature running through all these letters; there is never a complaint—not a single individual mourns his trouble. They all minimise it; they speak as if it did not exist. This is to me an extraordinary announcement for a blind lad to make 'I have seen Mr. Howard.' There is something curious about this too 'Of course I am married, and

have four of the loveliest children a man could wish for'—four children he had never seen. Another writes: 'I have never found my want of sight to be the smallest hindrance to my professional course or in any way prejudicial to my work.' That is a gallant saying. Another feature I notice is dogged pluck and perseverance. They seem to have been inspired by a determination to overcome all obstacles. One man writes: "When I first came to the Royal Normal College, it was with a feeling that blindness was a living death, and when I left, it was with the knowledge that I was still a man, with a man's hopes, ideals and possibilities." And so it goes on, and yet we talk of the helplessness of the Blind. This is a fine defiant saying from a girl; 'I am still as I have been for the last twenty-one years more than able to support myself. I give help to my own people, and to others that are less happily circumstanced than myself.' That is good reading. Perhaps the most pathetic sentence is this: it is a message sent to the venerable Principal of this College, to Dr. Campbell, to that noble man whose genius founded this College, whose perseverance and inspiration have kept it alive, and who established a model in connection with the education of the Blind which is without an equal in this country at least. This is a Christmas wish from a blind pupil to his blind teacher: 'I sincerely hope that your declining years may be full of light.' I can only say that this should be the wish of every person in this room. It is in your power to help to give that light, because if light can be given to the Blind, it can be given in the Normal College at Norwood."

In the unavoidable absence of Lady Henry Somerset, the ^{G. W. E.} third Resolution was moved by Mr. G. W. E. RUSSELL, ^{Russell, Esq}

"Resolved:—That in the opinion of this meeting, the Government should be asked to provide Secondary, Technical and other forms of Higher Education for the Blind, to continue for a sufficient period to enable them to earn their own livelihood, and thus become useful independent members of the community.

“ When I was an undergraduate at Oxford 35 years ago, I was possessed with the idea that I was going blind. Anyone who knows Oxford well, knows that there is a beautiful walk along the banks of the Cherwell, and that walk I used to take every day, because at a certain angle of the walk, about a quarter of a mile from where one entered, there was a tree which stood out boldly across the path, and on that tree there were some well defined marks. Every day I used to walk there, and every day I persuaded myself I could see those marks less and less distinctly ; until, by the end of the term, they seemed to vanish from my sight. Last year I was at Oxford again, and I retraced my old walk. There were the marks of my Freshman's term on the familiar tree, and I was not ashamed to say that my heart overflowed with thankfulness to the Divine goodness which in spite of my faithless fears had continued to me through so many years, the great gift of working vision. Well, although you may say that was a nervous fear, it was none the less a very real one to me, and the fact that one had passed through it, and seriously contemplated one's future under the conditions of blindness, makes one ready to do anything to support such a work as that in the promotion of which we are engaged. We do not say that it will be a privilege to dispel the despair that surrounds the blind man's path ; that is a thing of the past thank God, to-day he does not despair, he is reminded that there is something left ; he is encouraged to realize how great a capacity for patriotic citizenship is left to him, in spite of the removal of one of the faculties by which we work. The Resolution makes an appeal for Government support in the educational work of this College, and more particularly I urge with strong conviction, that the support of the State should be not only claimed but demanded for the musical part of the work. We have heard how great is the capacity of the Blind, the capacity is for the art and accomplishment of music. If I were to enter into a philosophic discussion of all that music is and may be in human life, it would carry us away from the

limits of our subject. It is the experience of all ages that the voice of music opens our eyes to the existence of a world more beautiful and more real than that in which we seem to live; a world where the good purposes which are unfulfilled or half-fulfilled here will be fulfilled completely, and where the joys which here are transient are enjoyed eternally. Now it is a matter of common observation that those from which the gift of bodily sight has been removed, have a clearer realization of that spiritual world which is disclosed by the art of music, than is given to us who enjoy the ordinary faculties of sight, and the ordinary limitations of the power of hearing. It is given to the Blind—the merely physically Blind—as it is not given to us, to understand what Cardinal Newman called ‘The outpourings of eternal harmony through the medium of created sound.’ To enable them to enjoy that privilege more completely, to put within their reach the highest enjoyments which music can give, should be an object dear to those who have the interests of this College at heart. It is little enough we can do. As John Bright beautifully said, ‘We cannot re-illumine the extinguished lamp of reason: we cannot make the deaf to hear: we cannot make the dumb to speak: it is not given to us

‘From the thick film to purge the visual ray
‘And on the sightless eyeball pour the day.’

“But it is in our power to lessen the load of suffering of those who have to bear it, and to distribute among them extra liberality which ought to know no bounds, those blessings which have been so richly bestowed upon ourselves, and for which we are too seldom thankful.”

Dr. CAMPBELL: “While I regret the absence of Lady Henry Somerset, I am pleased to second this Resolution. The United Kingdom stands almost alone in allowing the education of the Blind to depend upon charity. In the United States each State Government not only makes liberal pro-

Dr. F. J.
Campbell.

vision for the education and training of the Blind, but provides grounds, buildings and a complete equipment in all departments. I hope that we shall be able to arouse public opinion in this country and prevail upon the Government to provide a thorough training not only for those who have musical talent or those preparing for the Universities, but also for those who must make their living by handicrafts. Such training ought to be provided by the Government and we ought not to be compelled to beg money for educating the Blind. The very fact that we have to beg money for their education and training tends to foster the idea that the Blind are a pauper class, and this militates against securing employment for them when they go out into the world to work for themselves. Every blind man and woman trained and sent into the world as an active member of the community, demonstrates the fact that a practical education will go far towards removing the burden of blindness. I hope that all of you, while you help us to raise money, so long as we have to beg it, will try to convince others that it would be a national honour to provide amply for the education of the Blind, not only for Elementary but Secondary education and thus send them into the world intelligent and happy people.

“I beg to second this Resolution and hope that you will use your influence with Members of Parliament to bring about this change so that the Blind of the United Kingdom shall no longer be educated by charity.”

Prize Festival. The Annual Prize Festival was held on 26th July. Lord Glenesk presided and expressed in a few eloquent words his appreciation of the work done by the College, and of Dr. Campbell's labours on its behalf. The prizes were presented by Lady Hyde, and Lord Selby, on behalf of the Staff and Pupils, presented a Cap and Gown to Horace Watling and to James Crowley, who had recently passed the Fellowship Examination of the Royal College of Organists.

On 29th May a Garden Party was given by the Ladies' Committee which Her Royal Highness the Duchess of Albany^{Visit of H.R.H. the Duchess of Albany.} graciously honoured with her presence. She was accompanied by Princess Elizabeth and Princess Victoria, of Bentheim-Steinfurt, and attended by Sir Robert Collins.

On 11th July the Rural Dean of Croydon, Rev. Leonard^{Garden Party.} and Mrs. Burrows, gave a Garden Party, and interested many new friends in the work.

A reception was given to the Members of the International^{International Congress of Hygiene.} Congress of Hygiene. The visitors were received by Viscount Selby and Lady O'Hagan on behalf of the Executive and Ladies' Committees. We regret that the inclement weather prevented many who had accepted from inspecting the Physical Training and games which we regard as a most important factor in the education of the Blind.

Very cordial thanks are due from the Committee to the^{Gardner Trust.} Gardner Trust, through whose aid a large number of young blind persons are enable to pursue and complete that higher course of training which prepares them for self-maintenance. By means of the Gardner Scholarships, a large number of the poorest blind boys and girls are receiving a practical education, which is lifting them into positions of independence and usefulness.

Dr. and Mrs. Campbell continue, we are happy to say, to give their invaluable services to the College with the hearty support and co-operation of their experienced Staff, and the College maintains its high standard of efficiency and usefulness. But the difficulty of finding adequate funds for the carrying on of the work increases each year, and a reference to the Accounts will show that the deficiency on last year's working amounts to no less than £2,150. It is becoming a matter of vital importance that the income of the College should be increased.

**Financial
Position.**

The total expenditure for last year, including capital outlay, was £11,318 14s. 3d., and the income £9,197 14s. 1d., leaving a deficit of £2,151 0s. 2d.

There is a mortgage on the College property of £15,000, towards the redemption of which an annual instalment of £441 has to be paid into the Bank of England by order of the Charity Commissioners. These instalments now amount to £3,528. There is also £516 7s. 4d. deposited at Barclay's and £1,059 has been advanced out of the Mortgage Redemption Fund to meet the deficiency of last year.

Appeal.

The Committee would impress upon all friends of the College the necessity of making its merits more widely known, so as to obtain larger support for it in Donations and Annual Subscriptions. It will be a great help if each of our present Subscribers will secure at least one new Subscriber. In their efforts on behalf of the College, the Committee confidently rely on the co-operation of those who are acquainted with the good work which the College has done and is still doing, which good work, however, can only be continued if a larger income is obtained.

Possessing God's greatest blessing, Sight, will you remember the Sightless?

Signed on behalf of the Executive Committee

SELBY,

Chairman of Executive.

F. J. CAMPBELL,

Principal.

May, 1908.

Executive Committee's Acknowledgments.

The Committee desire to express their most grateful thanks to:—

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Messrs. WARING & GILLOW, of Oxford Street, for the tasteful furnishing of the Private Rooms at the Royal Albert Hall on the occasion of the attendance of their Majesties on 3rd June.

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for continued liberality and gift of two Typewriters as Special Prizes in the Type-writing Department ;

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for continuing the "Annual Teaching Prize."

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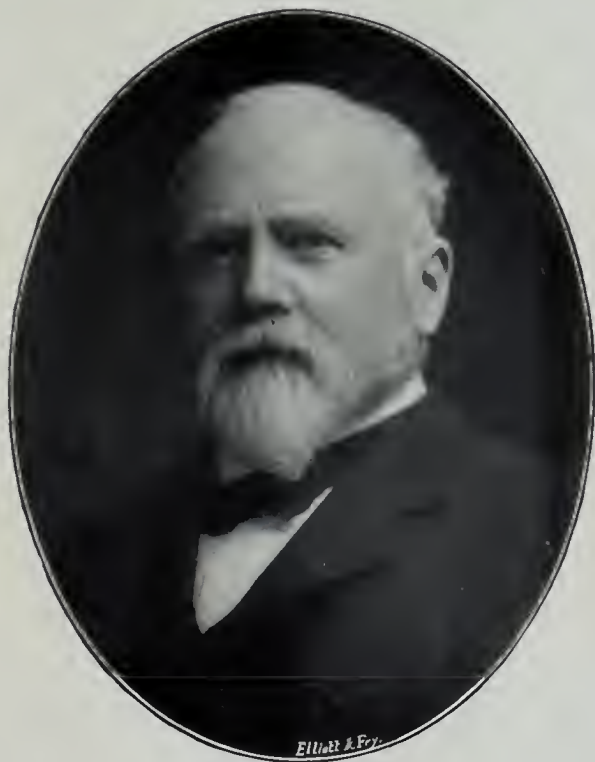
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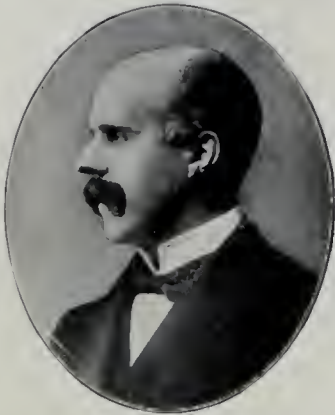
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L.R.A.M., F.R.C.O., formerly Organist of Christ
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St. George's Pres. Church, Edinburgh.



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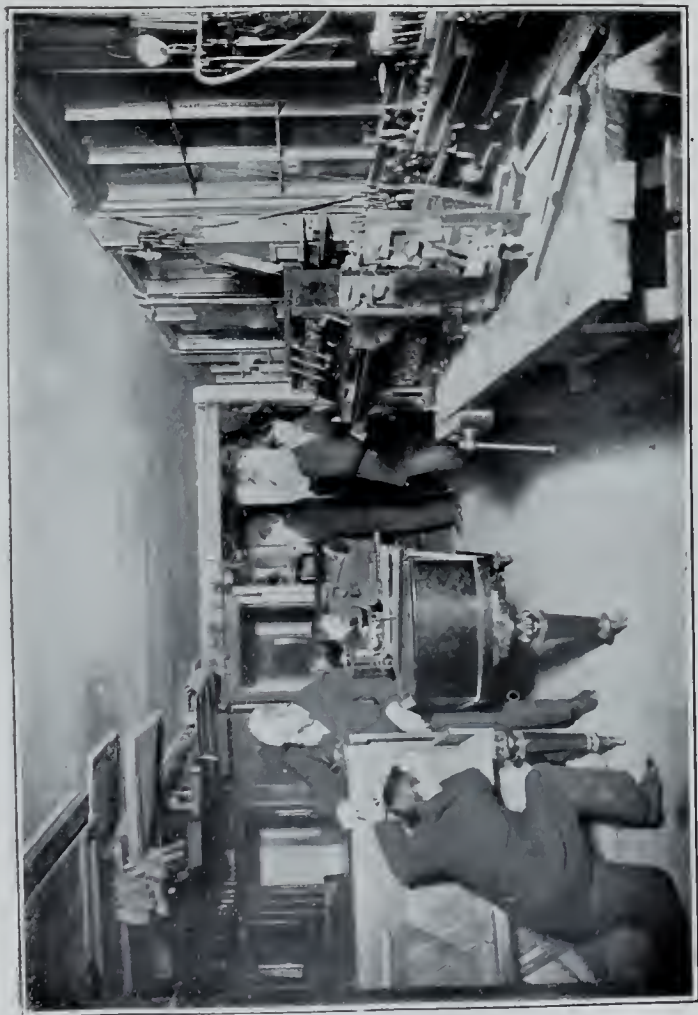
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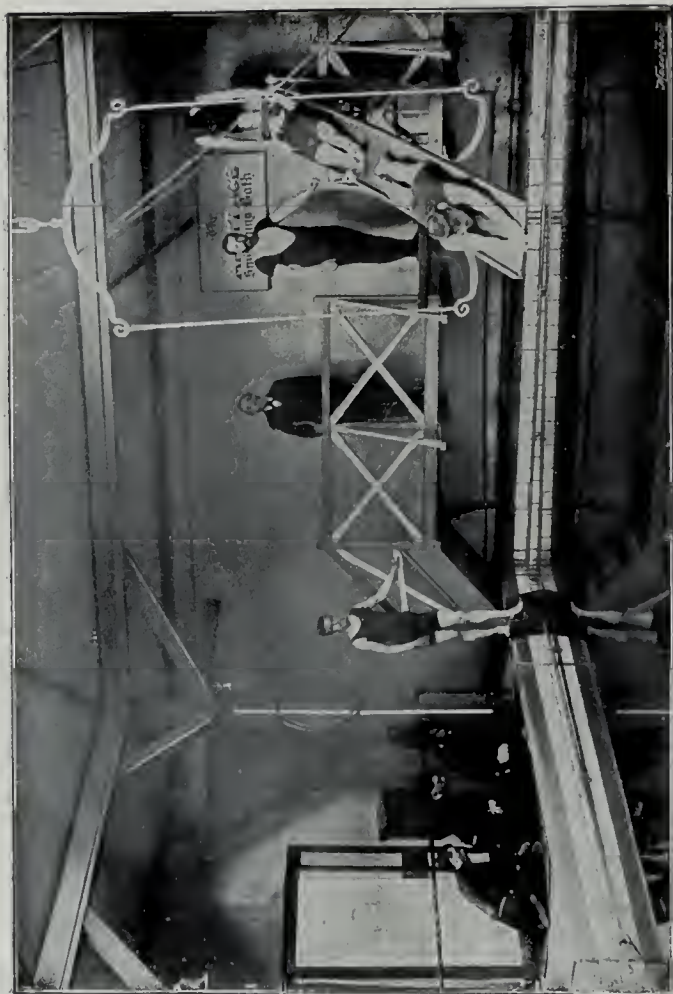
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The proof of the efficiency of the College tuners is that an ever increasing number of ladies and gentlemen, especially members of the musical profession, as well as manufacturers and music dealers, employ them, both in London and the Provinces.

Testimonials from those who are employing the College tuners will be found overleaf.

No tuner is granted a Certificate without serving an apprenticeship of several years, and undergoing a most thorough examination. George Rose, Esq., of Messrs. Broadwood and Sons, Limited, is Chief Examiner. For the examination the pupil not only tunes pianos for inspection, but is actually tested while at work; the manner of holding and managing the tuning hammer and damper with the varieties of pianos, including overstrung instruments, being carefully noted. Each pupil is also required to demonstrate

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The following Testimonials, selected from among the many received, testify to the thorough work of our Certificated Tuners.

ROYAL ACADEMY OF MUSIC, TENTERDEN STREET, HANOVER SQUARE,
LONDON.

I have much pleasure in stating that I have been fully satisfied with the tuning of a grand pianoforte, belonging to this Institution, by a member of the Royal Normal College and Academy of Music for the Blind, Upper Norwood. The instrument in question has been tested by me, and I find it is in perfect tune; indeed, exceptional care has been bestowed upon it. I have therefore no hesitation at all in cordially recommending the tuners of the College to the public.

A. C. MACKENZIE.

45, BEDFORD GARDENS, CAMPDEN HILL, W.

I have great pleasure in expressing to you my entire satisfaction with the way my Broadwood grand was tuned by one of the tuners from your College.

With kind regards, believe me very truly,

G. HENSCHEL.

SYDCOTE, WEST DULWICH, S.E.

During the past ten years I have had my pianofortes tuned by certificated tuners from the Royal Normal College for the Blind, and am able to say that they have always given me the utmost satisfaction. I should be sorry to place my instruments under other hands.

WILLIAM H. CUMMINGS,

Principal, Guildhall School of Music.

* The perfunctory work of Blind pupils who merely linger two or three hours daily over a piano accomplishes very little towards fitting them for business. The pupil must be as diligent, energetic, and persevering as the seeing apprentice, and willing to give even more time for the necessary preparation.

33, GREAT PULTENEY STREET, LONDON, W.

With regard to the blind tuner employed here, Jackson, I cannot speak too highly of his skill and industry. You will, perhaps, remember that when you and I were, in 1887, examined by the Royal Commission, I spoke hesitatingly about the practicability of our house engaging a blind tuner for the showrooms, and you commented upon my doubt. I am bound to say Jackson has shown me my fear was recalled for, although, perhaps, excusable from the novelty, at that time, of the circumstance.

Yours faithfully,

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(The late) A. J. HIPKINS.

45, HORSEFERRY ROAD, WESTMINSTER, S.W.

In reply to your enquiry, we have pleasure in informing you that Kuyper is still with us. He is a very excellent tuner, and a very industrious young man.

John Gill died suddenly a year ago. He had been former tuner at our factory for years, and was both a clever tuner and an excellent foreman, managing those under him admirably, in spite of his disadvantages. We greatly regretted his death.

Yours faithfully,

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We are in receipt of your favour of 21st inst., and have pleasure in informing you that the three tuners you mention have given us entire satisfaction. Mr. Moore has been here eleven years, and continues to give both our customers and ourselves complete satisfaction.

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Yours faithfully,

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96, LEEDS ROAD, BRADFORD.

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Respecting my tuners, I may say that Whitaker has now been in my employ about twenty-three years; Greaves about 16, and I have always found their work most satisfactory.

I remain, yours faithfully,

SAMUEL WALKER.

Organ Department.

The following past Students of the Royal Normal College
now hold organ appointments :—

Samuel Allen.	Arthur Mayes.
William Abbott.	Andrew McCallum.
Arthur Abbott.	Edwin Mence, A.R.C.O.
Lancelot Ashford.	Thomas Moyes, A.R.C.O.
Thomas Beresford.	Wilfrid Norris.
Charles Broan.	Marshall Pearson.
Joshua Brand.	Leonard Pegg, L.R.A.M.
George Carter.	John Scolah.
James Crowley, F.R.C.O.	William Start, F.R.C.O.
William Dowding.	Leonard Smith
Thomas Gregory, A.R.C.O.	Arthur Sterricker.
Henry Garrett.	Frederick Turner.
Dennis Haller, F.R.C.O.	Harry Turner.
Gilbert Hardebeck.	Horace Watling, F.R.C.O.,
Charles Hillyer.	L.R.A.M.
Alfred Hollins, F.R.C.O.	Herbert Warrilow, F.R.C.O.,
Ernest Johns.	L.R.A.M.
Werner Kuntze.	Percy Way, F.R.C.O.
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Augustine Lander, A.R.C.O.	F.R.C.O.
Emily Lucas, F.R.C.O., L.R.A.M.	Thomas White.
Henry Marshall.	John Wright.
Edward Marrison.	

There are a number of others with organ appointments, but as our recent letters have not been answered their names are not given.

Mr. W. F. Schweir, Mus. Bac., F.R.C.O., and eight others who held organ positions have died.

The following are also Associates of the Royal College of Organists :—

Alfred Carr, in business in London.

Hugh Howard, in business in Letchworth.

Patrick Keiley, just starting in London.

Alfred Harris, a teacher at the Nottingham Institution for the Blind.

Gertrude Blenkearn, recently left the College.

Sidney Brooker	}	Continuing their studies at the College.
William Laurie		
Victor Spanner		
Percy Williams		

General Organization and Course of Instruction.

The College includes five Departments :—A Preparatory School, a Secondary School, a Training College, a Technical School, and an Academy of Music. The following is the Course of Instruction :—

1. Physical Education, including Gymnastics (English, Swedish, German, and American), Dancing and Deportment, Drill, Swimming, Skating, Rowing, Cycling, and other Sports.
2. General Education, including, in the Preparatory course, Kindergarten work, Reading, Writing, Scripture, Arithmetic, Geography, Modelling, Sloyd, Nature Study, and Object Lessons in the elements of various subjects ; in the Secondary Course, Literature, History, Science, Mathematics, Typewriting, Shorthand, French, Latin, and Greek. In the Secondary course, the Students can prepare for the King's Scholarship and University Examinations. In the Smith Training College course, under the Education Department, the Students take the Training College Examination, and obtain their Certificates as School Teachers.
3. The Science and Practice of Music, including the training of Music Teachers, Pianists, Organists, Choirmasters, and Vocalists. The instruction afforded the pupils is equal to that given in the best Conservatoires for the Secing. Those who intend to follow Music as a profession receive special training in the art of Teaching. Great attention is given to Chanting and the Training and Management of Choirs. All the pupils attend numerous Lectures, Recitals, and Concerts.

4. Technical Education, including Mechanical Training and Pianoforte Tuning. No Tuner is granted a Certificate without serving an apprenticeship of several years, and undergoing a thorough Mechanical Examination.

The Children in the Preparatory Department have separate houses and playgrounds where all the arrangements are adapted to the special requirements of children. They come to the main school building for morning and evening services, classes, pianoforte, singing and harmony lessons, and also for all the Musical Recitals, Lectures, etc.

Kindergarten
and
Preparatory
School.

They have classes in the Gymnasium and lessons in the Swimming Bath. This arrangement gives the children the advantages of the Cottage system and at the same time the resources of a large school.

In the Secondary Department some students prepare for University Examinations and others for the Preliminary Examination of the Board of Education. Those who pass the latter examination afterwards take the course in the Smith Training College. The pupils in the Musical Department join these students in some subjects, and thus obtain that mental culture which is so important to the success of blind musicians. The pupils have the use of a large and well selected library containing 5,771 volumes. They attend University Extension Lectures, Lectures to Teachers given under the auspices of the London County Council and a course given in the College Hall by the Upper Norwood Literary and Scientific Society.

Secondary
Department.

A large number of the pupils in the School Department learn typewriting as soon as they become thoroughly proficient in reading and writing Braille. It is an invaluable help in writing notes of lessons, compositions, analyses, etc., besides forming the means of communication with a large number of sighted friends, and an incentive to become a good letter writer. A few who show special aptitude for the work afterwards take

Typewriting.

an advanced course, which includes shorthand writing, tabulating, duplicate and other copying, plays, specifications and the general routine requirements of a commercial house.

Physical
Department.

The Physical Department has a large Gymnasium provided with 55 distinct pieces of apparatus embracing the best features of the Swedish, American and German systems. There is also a Skating Rink and Swimming Bath. A large Playground affords plenty of free space where the Pupils can engage in races and other athletic games, and it is furnished with a Cycle Track, Swings, Tilts, Skittle Alleys, Giant Strides, Balance Beam, etc.

Musical
Department

The Musical Department is furnished with 60 pianos, five pipe organs and a large library of Braille music. In this department the indirect instruction gained in Recitals and Concerts proves an important part of the training. The weekly Recitals of Mr. Frits Hartvigson and Mr. H. L. Balfour, F.R.C.O., Mus. Bac., are attended by the whole school. Once a fortnight Mr. S. Macpherson lectures on Musical composers and their work. The Pupils also attend many of the best Concerts in London.

Pianoforte
Tuning.

There are thirty pianos set apart for instruction and practice in pianoforte tuning. We have a great variety of instruments, including three modern German pianos, in order that the Pupils may become acquainted with the mechanical construction of various makers. In addition to these there are sixty pianos in the Musical Department to be kept in tune and repair. We have five old pianos and four frames for teaching stringing, also models for teaching repairing, and others for showing the different actions used by different makers. Pupils gain experience by working at Piano Factories in London.

Rules and Terms for the Admission of Pupils.

The College is open to the young Blind of either sex up to ^{Age limit.} the age of twenty-one.

The annual charge for pupils sent by subscription or ^{Fees.} school authorities is as follows:—

Under 13	...	...	...	...	£35
Between 13 and 16	...	...	...	...	£45
Over 16	...	...	...	...	£65*

These fees cover board, lodging, washing and medical attendance, but do not include clothing or travelling expenses. If, however, it is desired that the clothing should be procured by the College authorities, arrangements may be made with the Principal.

The terms for private pupils will be furnished by the Principal on application.

Payments in all cases must be made in advance, ^{Payment.} and are due 1st October, 1st January, and 1st April. The first and second payments are for three months each, and the third for four months. All cheques and Post Office Orders, in payment for pupils, should be sent to the Principal at the College.

* The Gardner Trust grants Scholarships, after examination, in aid of the young Blind of England and Wales, whose friends cannot pay the entire cost. See p. 57,

**Illness and
remission of
Fees.**

No remission will be made unless a pupil, through illness, has been absent consecutively for at least half the term. In the event of such illness, the Executive Committee, upon written application being made to them accompanied by a proper medical certificate, will remit half the term's fee. In no instance will more than this amount be remitted.

**Withdrawal
of Pupil.**

Notice of withdrawal of a pupil must be sent in writing to the Principal not later than three months prior to the withdrawal: failing compliance with this regulation, payment of half the fee for the next term will in all cases be required.

School Terms.

The Winter or Michaelmas Term will commence on Tuesday and Wednesday, the 22nd and 23rd September, and terminate Tuesday and Wednesday, the 22nd and 23rd December.

The Spring or Easter Term will commence on Tuesday and Wednesday, the 5th and 6th January, 1909, and terminate Tuesday and Wednesday, the 6th and 7th April, 1909.

The Summer Term will commence on Tuesday and Wednesday, the 13th and 14th April, 1909, and terminate Tuesday and Wednesday, the 27th and 28th July, 1909.

**Admission of
Pupils.**

Pupils will be admitted at the beginning of each of the terms. If possible they should enter at the beginning of the Michaelmas Term and leave at Christmas or at the end of the Summer Term.

**Attendance
of Pupils.**

Pupils are expected to be in attendance at the College on the first day of each Term, and if prevented by illness, notice of that illness accompanied by a medical certificate, must be sent to the Principal prior to the day on which the Term commences, or the pupil is liable to have his or her name removed from the College Register.

As it is of the utmost importance to keep up home ties Home Ties. between pupils and their families, it is desirable that all pupils shall spend at least the summer vacation with their parents or friends, but pupils are not required to leave the College during the Christmas or Easter recess.

All pupils must be provided with strong clothes, either Clothing. new or in perfect repair, as per the following lists, and their parents, friends or guardians will be required to renew the clothing when deemed necessary by the Committee. **Pupils whose eyes are disfiguring will be required to wear Glasses. glasses. The glasses should be obtained at the College.**

The use of tobacco in all forms is strictly forbidden. All Use of Tobacco and Alcohol. pupils, without regard to age, during their connection with the College, must abstain from the use of tobacco either on or off the College premises. The use of beer, wine, or any drink containing alcohol, is only allowed when ordered by the medical authorities of the College.

In all cases the following questions must be answered. Questions. The questions are not, however, put with a view to exclusion, but for information regarding the pupils, upon the official application form obtainable from the College.

QUESTIONS.

To be answered on Application for Admission.

- (a) Name of the applicant.
- (b) Date of birth.
- (c) Present residence.
- (d) Names, occupation, and circumstances of the applicant's parents or guardians.
- (e) Can the applicant wash, dress, and feed himself?

- (f) Is the applicant truthful, honest, and well-conducted?
- (g) Has the applicant been in any other Institution?
If so, which, and why did he leave?
- (h) Has the applicant received any education, and if so,
to what extent?
- (i) How has the applicant been hitherto employed?

WE, the undersigned, do hereby certify that, to the best of our knowledge and belief, the answers to the foregoing questions are true.

Name

Occupation

Address

Name

Occupation

Address

Date

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This Certificate must be signed by the Parent or Guardian, and a Minister of Religion to whom the Applicant is personally known; or, in case of a School Authority, by the Clerk to such Authority and the School Attendance Officer for the district in which the child resides.

QUESTIONS.

To be answered by a Medical Man.

- (a) Is the applicant totally blind ?
 (b) If not, does he possess sufficient sight to enable him to read the ordinary school books used by sighted children ?

A child is defined as being blind by the Elementary Education (Blind and Deaf Children) Act, 1893, if unable to do this.

- (c) What appears to have been the cause of blindness ?
 (d) Has the applicant (1) had Smallpox ? or (2) been Vaccinated, and is there satisfactory evidence that the infection was complete ?
 (e) Has the applicant had Measles, Whooping Cough, or Scarlet Fever ?
 (f) Is the applicant free from fits, scrofula, and from any dangerous or communicable disorder ?
 (g) Does the applicant suffer from any bodily weakness or deformity, except blindness ?
 (h) Has the applicant sufficient *intellect* and *health* to be capable of being usefully taught ?

Name _____

Qualification _____

Address _____

Date _____

In cases in which the pupil is not entirely paid for by Guarantee. his or her friends, some reliable person must give a guarantee that the necessary clothing will be supplied ; that the pupil will be removed from the College during the summer vacations ; and, in case of death, that the funeral expenses will be paid.

Visiting
Pupils.

Parents or friends can visit the pupils on the first Wednesday in November, February, April, and June between 2 and 5.30 p.m. If, for any special reason, parents wish to see their children at other times, they should write to the Principal for an appointment. As a rule, it is not expected that more than two friends will visit any pupil on the same afternoon. When visiting the College, parents are earnestly requested not to bring young children with them. *Friends cannot visit the pupils on Sunday; this rule is strictly enforced.* Parents are specially requested not to bring or send sweets or eatables to the children. If the children go out with their parents, they must not undertake commissions for other pupils.

N.B.—Applications and inquiries in regard to the admission of pupils should be addressed to the Principal, F. J. Campbell, Esq., LL.D., "Windermere," Church Road, Upper Norwood, S.E., who will gladly forward forms and any further particulars. Persons can see the Principal on business on Fridays from 11.30 to 1 p.m., and 4 to 6 p.m.; otherwise by appointment.

LIST OF CLOTHING.

FEMALE DEPARTMENT.

Stays and tight-fitting dresses are prohibited. Dresses and other clothing must give ample room across the chest. Dresses narrow across the chest invariably lead to bad positions. Parents are especially requested to attend to this requirement, as the health very much depends upon proper clothing. The skirts of the school dresses must be at least $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches from the ground, to allow freedom in walking.

1 Sunday dress.

2 Week-day dresses.

1 Gymnastic suit, which should be purchased at the College, and must be renewed when necessary.

1 White petticoat.

2 Coloured petticoats.

2 Flannel petticoats.

3 Undervests (flannel or merino, high-necked and long-sleeved).

- 3 Chemises.
- 3 Bodices (supplied with buttons for supporting the skirts).
- 4 Pairs of drawers.
- 3 Nightgowns.
- 1 Flannel dressing gown.
- 12 Towels.
- 8 Pocket-handkerchiefs (at least).
- 6 Aprons or pinafores.
- 4 Pairs of stockings.
- 1 Pair of best boots.
- 2 Pairs of strong boots.
- 1 Pair of slippers.
- 2 Hats.
- 1 Sunday jacket.
- 1 Week-day ditto, or shawl.
- 1 Waterproof.
- 2 Pairs of gloves.
- A sufficient quantity of collars and cuffs.
- 1 Comb and brush.
- 1 Small-toothed comb.
- 1 Nail brush.
- 1 Tooth brush.
- 2 Small bags for combs and brush.
- 2 Bags for soiled linen.

N.B.—The gymnastic outfit is indispensable, and should be obtained at the College, as it is important to have all the suits alike. If the clothing and gymnastic outfit are not provided, it will be the duty of the Principal to suspend the pupil. If parents will furnish 15s. for the first year, and 10s. each succeeding year, the pupil will be kept fully supplied with all that is required for the Physical Department.

MALE DEPARTMENT.

- 1 Sunday suit (of black or dark navy blue material).
- 2 Very strong week-day suits.
Coats and vests must be broad across the chest, to give the lungs full play.
- 3 Shirts.
- 3 Night shirts.

6 Collars (at least).

The bands of shirts and collars are often too small :
this is a fatal error, as it not only injures the health,
but prevents all chance of progress in singing.

6 Pocket-handkerchiefs (at least).

4 Pairs dark worsted stockings or socks.

1 Warm coat or cloak.

1 Stiff black felt hat for Sunday.

2 College caps (furnished at the College at 1/6 each).

2 Pairs of gloves (1 pair of plain dark woollen material or woollen-lined for winter use, and 1 pair of dark coloured dog-skin gloves for the summer).

1 Pair of Sunday boots.

2 Pairs of very strong boots for week-day use (without hob-nails).

(Parents are requested to exercise special care in regard to the size of the boots. They are often too small.)

1 Pair of leather-soled slippers, with low heels (furnished at the College at lowest wholesale rates).

Gymnastic shoes (black), jerseys (dark navy blue, with 2-inch collar), cap and belt (furnished at the College at the lowest wholesale rates).

2 Woollen vests.

2 Pairs woollen drawers.

Comb and hair brush.

Small-toothed comb.

2 Small bags for comb and brush.

1 Tooth brush.

1 Bag for soiled linen.

The rule in regard to the supply of clothing is imperative.

N.B.—The gymnastic outfit is indispensable, and should be obtained at the College, as it is important to have all the suits alike. If the clothing and gymnastic outfit are not provided, it will be the duty of the Principal to suspend the pupil. If parents will furnish 15s. for the first year, and 10s. each succeeding year, the pupil will be kept fully supplied with all that is required for the Physical Department.

Gardner Scholars.

The following tabulated statement gives the names of "Gardner Scholars" under instruction, December, 1907:—

COLLEGE.

Boys.

Anstey, Sidney.	Gregory, Stanley.	Norman, Bertie.
Bennett, Fredk.	Hardwick, William.	Orvis, Owen.
Bodger, Wm.	Harrison, Cyril.	Reynard, Percy.
Brooker, Sidney.	Hepworth, James.	Robinson, Sidney.
Catherell, Ronald.	Irwin, Harry.	Spanner, Victor.
Crowley, James.	Johnson, Edmund.	Stephenson, Joshua.
Dalzell, Frank.	Laurie, William.	Strangways, Arthur.
Drake, Wm.	Lawson, John.	Tyler, Henry.
Dugdale, James.	Moore, Fredk.	Wilkinson, Sidney.
Elliott, Chas.	Morgan, David.	

GIRLS.

Balls, Mary.	Fearnley, Rebecca.	Nixon, Isabel.
Bargate, Daisy.	Foyster, Ada.	Owen, Maud.
Baugh, Ruth.	Foster, Florence.	Owen, Nellie.
Bansor, Elsie.	Franklin, Edith.	Shiell, Florence.
Best, Edith.	Hack, Ruth.	Smith, May.
Biffin, Alice.	Hazelwood, Agnes.	Sullivan, Margaret.
Blenkarn, Gertrude.	Johnson, Mary.	Thirkill, Susan.
Burrell, Dora.	Kenny, Florence.	Thurston, Gladys.
Bussell, Grace.	Lewis, Mary.	Till, Cissie.
Caslake, Barbara.	Macgregor, Kate.	Titley, Julia.
Clements, Gertrude.	Manning, Edith.	Weir, Maud.
Dent, Sarah.	McInerny, Nellie.	Whitnall, Martha.
Draper, Rhoda.	Mercer, Winifred.	Woodcock, Edith.
Fairhurst, Edith.		

TECHNICAL SCHOOL.

Appleyard, John.	Johnson, Ernest.	Thompson, Alfred.
Cohen, Aaron.	Morgan, D. Rees.	Waterman, Wm.
Green Ernest.	Phillips, Edwin.	Wearmouth, Percy.
Helliwell, Laurence.	Robinson, Albert.	

The Gardner Scholarships in the College are open to all the young Blind of England and Wales, between the ages of sixteen and twenty-one. Those who wish to prepare for the examination are recommended to communicate with the Principal. Candidates for the College should read and write Braille with facility and correctness, and be well grounded in Arithmetic, English Grammar, and Geography; these subjects are essential, but credit will be given for practical knowledge in other subjects. Applicants are admitted to the Technical School up to the age of twenty-one, and in some cases as old as twenty-five.

The Royal Normal College and

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE FOR THE

Dr.**INCOME.**

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To Pupils' Account:—						
Contributions from Public Bodies and others on Pupils' Accounts ..	7,645	0	4			
Less Fees Returned	59	15	0			
	7,585	5	4			
Less Reduction in amount of Pupils' fees outstanding ..	178	12	3			
				7,406	13	1
.. Government Grant				367	9	8
.. General Subscriptions	739	9	0			
.. „ Donations	641	2	7			
				1,330	11	7
.. Interest on India Stock and Consols ..				19	10	9
.. Sundry Receipts				23	9	0
Carried forward				£9,197	14	1

Academy of Music for the Blind.

TWELVE MONTHS ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1907.

	EXPENDITURE.			Cr.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
By Educational:—						
Salaries—General ..	1,063	0	0			
„ Musical ..	969	19	10			
„ Technical ..	553	18	4			
	<hr/>			2,586	18	2
Appliances, Books, School Stationery, &c.				54	2	3
Repairs to Pianos, Organs, Books, &c.				81	1	1
Travelling of Pupils to Pianoforte Factories, Concerts, &c.				126	6	10
	<hr/>			2,848	8	4
„ Maintenance:—						
Salaries and Wages				979	12	9
Provisions				3,158	9	1
Fire and Lighting				607	0	6
Washing and Cleaning				676	16	10
Haberdashery				8	14	10
Registry Office Fees, &c.				2	18	6
	<hr/>			5,433	12	6
Nursing and Medicine				31	5	3
„ Office Expenses:—						
Salaries				422	11	0
Postages, Telegrams and Telephone				102	7	8
Stationery				32	16	6
	<hr/>			557	15	2
„ Garden Outlay:—						
Wages				215	16	0
Requisites				7	10	7
	<hr/>			223	6	7
Carried forward				£9,094	7	10

The Royal Normal College and

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE FOR THE

Dr.INCOME—*continued*.

	£	s.	d
Brought forward	9,197	14	1
To Balance deficiency for the Year 1907 ..	2,151	0	2

£11,348 14 3

We have examined the above Account, compared it in detail with the books and vouchers, and certify that it is in accordance therewith.

MIALL, WILKINS, RANDALL & CO.

Chartered Accountants.

23, St. Swithin's Lane, E.C.

May 6th, 1908.

Academy of Music for the Blind.

TWELVE MONTHS ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1907.

EXPENDITURE— <i>continued.</i>				Cr.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Brought forward				9,094	7	10	

By General Expenses:—

Interest on Mortgage and Banker's							
Loan	521	3	5				
Rent, Rates, Taxes and Insurance..	562	4	7				
Printing and Advertising	230	19	8				
Alterations, Fixtures and Repairs ..	319	3	9				
Renewals, Wear and Tear, &c. ..	171	9	5				
Travelling Expenses	32	9	8				
Concerts & Meetings <i>pro</i> the College	12	12	0				
Pension	10	0	0				
Boarding out Pupils	30	10	0				
Bank Charges and Sundries ..	35	12	8				
				1,926	5	2	
Total Ordinary Expenditure				11,020	13	0	

,, Capital Outlay:—

New Building				328	1	3	
				£11,348	14	3	

The Royal Normal College and

MORTGAGE REDEMPTION ACCOUNT FOR THE

Dr.	RECEIPTS.				£ s. d.		£ s. d.	
To Balance, as per last Account							1,570	10 4
„ Subscriptions					3	2 0		
„ Donations					51	15 0		
„ Legacies					388	0 0		
							445	17 0
							£2,016	7 4

There is an Annual payment of £441 made to the Charity now amounts to £3,528.

STATEMENT SHEWING AGREEMENT OF INCOME

BALANCES AT 31st

	£ s. d.	
To Balance (Deficiency)—		
Mortgage Redemption Fund—Owing on Loan Account	1,059	0 0
Tradesmen's Accounts, Salaries, &c., owing at 31st Dec., 1907	1,849	19 10
Loan from Bankers	1,500	0 0
	4,408	19 10
Less—		
Cash at Bankers and in hand	429	15 4
	£3,979	4 6

Academy of Music for the Blind.

TWELVE MONTHS ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1907.

EXPENDITURE.			Cr.		
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	
By Payment to Charity Commissioners on					
Account of Mortgage			441	0	0
„ Balance—					
Amount due from General Fund ..	1,039	0 0			
Balance at Bankers	516	7 4			
			1,575	7	4
			£2,016	7	4

Commissioners on account of the Mortgage Redemption which

AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT WITH CASH AND

DECEMBER, 1907.

	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
By Balance from last account, 1906	1,862	15 7		
<i>Less—</i>				
Pupils' accounts realised in excess of				
amount added in the previous year to				
outstanding accounts	34	11 3		
			1,828	4 4
„ Expenditure in Excess of Income for				
Year 1907			2,151	0 2
			£3,979	4 6

List of Donations and Subscriptions

FOR THE

GENERAL PURPOSES OF THE COLLEGE.

RECEIVED FROM JANUARY 1ST TO DECEMBER 31st, 1907.

The Principal will be glad to be informed of any inaccuracies in this List.

	Donations.			Subscriptions		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Acland, Right Hon., A. H. D.				1	1	0
A Friend	0	4	7			
A Friend, per Miss Longhurst	2	2	0			
A Friend, per Mrs. Westlake	2	2	0			
Albert Hall Concert, Proceeds of	22	9	4			
Aldridge, W., Esq.	1	1	0			
Allbutt, Miss				1	1	0
Allen, Mrs. C. H.				10	0	
Allen, W. E., Esq.				2	2	0
All Saints, Upper Norwood (Offertory)	7	5	6			
Amos, L. J. V., Esq.	3	3	0			
Anderson, Dr. and Mrs. F. H.				5	0	0
Anderson, E. G. L., Esq.				2	2	0
Annesley, Mrs.				10	6	
Anonymous				5	5	0
Anonymous	5	0	0			
Anonymous	1	0	0			
Anonymous	1	0	0			
Anonymous	15	0				
Anonymous	14	0				
Anonymous	4	0				
Anonymous	2	6				
Anonymous	2	6				
Anonymous	2	0				
"A. P."				1	0	0
Ascroft, Miss M. E.				10	0	
Aste, Miss				1	1	0
Aste, Miss S.				1	1	0
Atkins, Hugh, Esq.				10	0	
Atkinson, H. J., Esq.				10	6	
Aukland, Mrs.				2	2	0
Austin, Mrs.				1	1	0
A Visitor	1	0	0			
Bailward, T. H. M., Esq.				6	6	0
Baird, F. J. L., Esq.				1	1	0
Baird, Mrs.				1	1	0
Balfour, Miss L. J.				10	6	
Amounts forward	£49	7	5	£34	5	6

					Donations			Subscriptions		
Amounts forward ..					£	s	d.	£	s	d.
Balfour, Mrs. C. ..	..	..	..	..	49	7	5	31	5	6
Barbour, Lady ..	..	..	..	..				1	0	0
Barnard, Alfred, Esq. ..	..	..	..	..				1	0	0
Barrow, Miss G. M. (collected)	..	..	..	..	10	0	0	10	0	
Bateman, Lady Lacey ..	..	..	..	..	1	0	0			
Batten, T. H., Esq. ..	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Baugh, Miss C. (collected)	..	..	..	..	10	0				
Bean, Miss F. D. ..	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Beddow, Josiah, Esq. ..	..	..	..	..				10	10	0
Beddow, Miss ..	..	..	..	..	2	0	0			
Beeching, Major-General	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Bell, Miss E. ..	..	..	..	..				1	0	0
Bell, Rev. Canon, M.A. ..	..	..	..	..	5	0	0			
Benthal, Miss ..	..	..	..	..				10	0	
Benton, P., Esq. ...	..	..	..	..				10	6	
Benton, Mrs. ..	..	..	..	..				10	6	
Bermondsey Settlement. Collected from										
Members of ..	..	..	..	..	3	6				
Berner & Nielson, Messrs., per A. G.										
Mickleburgh, Esq. ..	..	..	..	..	1	1	0			
Berridge, Miss ..	..	..	..	..	10	0				
Bhabha, H. J., Esq. ..	..	..	..	..	1	0	0			
Bird, Miss (collected)	..	..	..	..	3	5	6			
Blackmore, Miss M. ..	..	..	..	..	1	0	0			
Blind Tea Agency, per C. E. Dustow, Esq. ..								1	1	0
Blumenthal, J. Esq. ..	..	..	..	..				2	0	0
Body, C. A., Esq. ..	..	..	..	..				2	2	0
Boswell, Mrs. ..	..	..	..	..				10	6	
Bouverie, H. H. P., Esq. ..	..	..	..	..				5	0	0
Bovills, Miss ..	..	..	..	..	1	1	0			
Bower, Mrs. Tatton ..	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Bowles, Mrs. ..	..	..	..	..	1	1	0			
Braddon, Mr. & Mrs. ..	..	..	..	..				10	6	
Bradford, Messrs. Thos. & Co. ..	..	..	..	..				10	10	0
Brauscombe, Mr. G. R. (collected)	..	..	..	..	5	6				
Brau, Mrs. Von ..	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Bright, Lady ..	..	..	..	..				10	0	
Bright, Thomas J., Esq., ..	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Broadwood, Miss Ruth (collected)	..	..	..	..	3	7	0			
Brocklehurst, Miss ..	..	..	..	..				2	2	0
Brocklehurst, Mrs. ..	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Brooke, H. W., Esq. ..	..	..	..	..				2	2	0
Brooke, Miss ..	..	..	..	..				10	10	0
Brown, A. W., Esq. ..	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Bruce, Mrs. ..	..	..	..	..				2	2	0
Buchanan, Benjamin, Esq. ..	..	..	..	..	50	0	0			
Buchanan, Mrs. ..	..	..	..	..				3	3	0
Budgen, Miss ..	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Budgen, Mrs. ..	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Bull, Mrs. ...	..	..	..	..				5	0	
Burn, Mrs. ..	..	..	..	..				4	0	0
Burrowes, W. B., Esq. ..	..	..	..	..	1	1	0			
Byrne, Mrs. ..	..	..	..	..		
Amounts forward ..					£131	12	11	£107	15	6

	Amounts forward ..	Donations.			Subscriptions.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
		131	12	11	107	15	6
Caine, Mrs. (collected)	1	0	0			
Caldicott, T. P., Esq.				1	1	0
Campbell, Miss E. L.				1	0	0
Campbell, The Rt. Hon. J. A., LL.D.	16	0	0			
Cardel, Mrs.	2	0	0			
Cart, Rev. Henry, M.A.				10	10	0
Cavie, Miss				5	0	
Chamberlain, Miss				1	1	0
Chance, Sir William, Bart.				1	1	0
Channing, Miss	5	0				
Charity Organization Society, per :—							
Aldenhani, Lord				1	1	0
Allen, H. J., Esq.				1	1	0
Dryborough, T. B., Esq.				10	0	0
Edwards, Colonel Hope	100	0	0			
Fleming, Tarbett, Esq.				6	0	0
" H. P. "				16	10	0
Latham, Morton, Esq.				2	2	0
Letchworth, Miss E.	1	0	0			
Palmer, General Sir Roger, Bt.				5	0	0
Scott, D. H., Esq.				1	10	0
Saunders, Harold, Esq.				5	0	0
Thomas, Miss	10	6				
Charles, The Misses E. & S.				5	0	
Chauncey, Miss E. M.				1	1	0
Chevob, E., Esq.				1	1	0
Chittick, Chas., Esq.				1	1	0
Chitty, G. W., Esq.				2	2	0
Christ Church, Gipsy Hill (Offertory)	..	17	7	8			
Christian, from Readers of the	5	0				
Clark, Mrs. & Miss				1	1	0
Clarkson, Mrs.	1	1	0			
Coates, Major E. F., M.P.				1	1	0
Cobb, Mrs.				1	1	0
Cobbold, F. T. Esq., M.P.				1	1	0
Cohen, Mrs. Herman				1	1	0
Coleman, Mrs. F. S.				1	1	0
Collins, Mrs.				1	0	0
Collinsplatt, Miss F. S.				1	1	0
Collis, Miss M.				1	1	0
Collyer-Bristowe, Miss E. (collected)	..	1	13	6			
Coope, Miss J. E.	1	0	0	1	1	0
Cooper, F., Esq.				1	1	0
Cooper, R., Esq.				1	1	0
Corry, Mrs.				1	1	0
Cotes, Mrs.	0	5	0			
Cox, Messrs. G. T. & Sons, Ltd.				1	1	0
Craig, Mrs. (Collected)	5	6	0			
Crampton, Mrs.	1	1	0			
Crisp, Miss W.	0	10	6			
Cropley, Miss				10	6	
Crosley, Mrs.				5	0	
Crum, Miss				1	1	0
Amounts forward	£274	18	1	£186	17	0

					Donations. £ s. d.	Sub-criptions. £ s. d.
Amounts forward ..					274 18 1	186 17 0
Cullen, Miss .. ..	..	..	..	..	1 1 0	
Cumberbateh, Mrs. .. ..	..	..	..	..		1 0 0
Cumberland, Maj.-Gen. C. E. ....	..	..	..	..	1 11 0	
Cunnington, Miss A. N. M. .. ..	..	..	..	..	10 6	
Cunnington, T., Esq. .. ..	..	..	..	..		10 6
Darbyshire, Mrs. .. ..	..	..	..	..	1 0 0	
Darwin, W. E., Esq. .. ..	..	..	..	..		1 1 0
Dauids, H. V. S., Esq. .. ..	..	..	..	..		1 1 0
Dean, W. E., Esq. .. ..	..	..	..	..	1 1 0	
Debenham, Frank, Esq. .. ..	..	..	..	..		5 0 0
Delph, Miss H. .. ..	..	..	..	..		1 1 0
Dennett, H. R., Esq. .. ..	..	..	..	..	2 6	
de Quincey, Mrs. ....	..	..	..	..		10 6
Dickens, Miss K. .. ..	..	..	..	..		10 6
Dickinson, H. J., Esq. (Collected) ..	..	..	..	..	2 2 0	
"D. J." .. ..	..	..	..	..		2 0 0
Donner, Mrs. .. ..	..	..	..	..	3 0 0	
Dow, Alexander, Esq. .. ..	..	..	..	..	1 1 0	
Downes, The Rev. R. P., LL.D. .. ..	..	..	..	..		1 1 0
Drummond, Miss F. .. ..	..	..	..	..	5 0	
Duff, Daniel, Esq. .. ..	..	..	..	..		5 5 0
Duffin, Mrs. (Collected) .. ..	..	..	..	..	1 0 0	
Dunn, Miss .. ..	..	..	..	..		1 0 0
Eccles, Miss .. ..	..	..	..	..		5 0 0
Eden, Mrs. .. ..	..	..	..	..		1 0 0
Elles, Mrs. .. ..	..	..	..	..		1 1 0
Elliott, Sir Chas., K.C.S.I., LL.D. ..	..	..	..	..		2 2 0
Ellis, Miss .. ..	..	..	..	..	1 1 0	
Ellis, Mrs. J. .. ..	..	..	..	..		1 1 0
Elliston, Miss A. M. (Collected) ..	..	..	..	..	1 0 0	
Epps, Miss A. .. ..	..	..	..	..		1 1 0
"E. S." .. ..	..	..	..	..	10 0 0	
"E. S." .. ..	..	..	..	..		1 1 0
Eschwege, H., Esq. .. ..	..	..	..	..		5 5 0
Enmorfopoulos, Mrs. .. ..	..	..	..	..	1 0	5 0
Evans, General and Mrs. .. ..	..	..	..	..		5 0
Evans, Miss .. ..	..	..	..	..		1 1 0
Every, Miss A. V. .. ..	..	..	..	..	4 0	
Fawcett, Mrs. .. ..	..	..	..	..		2 2 0
Faweett, Mrs. Henry .. ..	..	..	..	..		1 0 0
Fearnley, Miss .. ..	..	..	..	..	107 0 0	5 0 0
Feversham, The Rt. Hon. the Earl of ..	..	..	..	..	1 0 0	
Field, Miss .. ..	..	..	..	..	2 0 0	
Focke, E., Esq. .. ..	..	..	..	..		1 1 0
Follett, Colonel .. ..	..	..	..	..	10 0	5 5 0
Forbes, Miss. .. ..	..	..	..	..		5 5 0
Ford, Sir Theodor T. .. ..	..	..	..	..	1 1 0	
Fordham, Mrs. C. .. ..	..	..	..	..		1 0 0
Amounts forward ..					£411 9 1	£241 7 6

					Donations	Subscriptions				
					£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Amounts forward ..					411	9	1	241	7	6
Foster, Edwin, Esq.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Foster, Mrs.	..	..	..	..				5	0	0
Foster, P. S., Esq.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Fox, C., Esq.	..	..	..	..	1	0	0			
Freeman, John, Esq.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Furneaux, Mrs.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Gabriel, Mrs. Arnold ..								1	1	0
Gardner, Miss R. (collected)	..	..	..	..	15	0				
Garnett, Mrs.	..	..	..	..				5	0	0
Garrett, Miss W. M.	..	..	..	..	10	6				
Geare, H., C., Esq.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Gibbs, Miss D. H.	..	..	..	..				10	0	0
Gibson, Miss E. B.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Gissing, Admiral, C. E. (per L. & S.W. Bank)	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Gladstone, S. H., Esq.	..	..	..	..				2	2	0
Glasson, Mr. and Mrs. J. C.	..	..	..	..	5	0	0			
Glendinning, G. H., Esq.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Glenesk, The Rt. Hon. Lord	..	..	..	..	26	5	0			
Goetze, Mrs.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Goff, Miss A.	..	..	..	..				1	0	0
Gore, Lt.-Col. F. A.	..	..	..	..	10	0				
Gorringe, Frederick, Esq.	..	..	..	..	5	5	0			
Gracey, Thos., Esq.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Graham, Mrs.	..	..	..	..	2	10	0	5	0	0
Grant, Dundas, Esq., M.A., M.D.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Grant, Mrs.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Gray, Mrs., F. J.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Green, Mrs.	..	..	..	..				5	0	0
Green, Mrs.	..	..	..	..	1	11	6			
Griffith, Isaac C., Esq.	..	..	..	..				5	5	0
Griffith, Mrs W. P.	..	..	..	..				2	2	0
Grimwade, Mrs.	..	..	..	..				10	6	
Haig, Mrs.					1	0	0			
Hale, W. C., Esq. (collected)	..	..	..	..	7	7				
Halle, the late J. B., Esq.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Haller, Miss Alice M.	..	..	..	..				10	0	
Haller, per Miss E.:-										
Cusson, Wm., Esq.	..	..	..	..				1	0	0
Denniss, C. S., Esq.	..	..	..	..				10	0	
Ferens, T. R., Esq., M.P.	..	..	..	..				3	3	0
Haller, Miss E.	..	..	..	..				10	0	
Hodgson, Robert, Esq.	..	..	..	..				10	6	
Holmes, T. B., Esq., J.P.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Lyth, W. M., Esq.	..	..	..	..				5	0	
Pauling, Robert, Esq.	..	..	..	..				10	0	
Reckitt, Sir James, Bt.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Saunders, S. H., Esq.	..	..	..	..				10	6	
Whipp, A. E., Esq.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Haller, Geo. Denniss, Esq.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Hampton, Mrs.	..	..	..	..				2	2	0
Amounts forward ..					£456	3	8	£311	17	0

					Donations.	Subscriptions.
					£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Amounts forward ..					456 3 8	311 17 0
Harland, Lady ..	..	..	..	..		1 1 0
Harland, — Esq. (collected) ..	..	..	..	..	3 3	
Harper, Miss ..	..	..	..	..	10 0	
Harrison, J., Esq. ..	..	..	..	..		2 2 0
Harrold, Mrs. ..	..	..	..	..		1 1 0
Hart, Mrs. ..	..	..	..	..		10 0
Hartvigson, Frits, Esq. ..	..	..	..	..		5 5 0
Harvey, Mrs. C. (collected) ..	..	..	..	..	15 6	
Haversham, Lord ..	..	..	..	..		2 2 0
Haygarth, Col. F. ..	..	..	..	..		50 0 0
"H. B." ..	..	..	..	..		2 0 0
Henderson, J., Esq., M.D. ..	..	..	..	..		2 2 0
Hennessy, James, Esq., ..	..	..	..	..	1 0 0	
Henriques, Miss Elizabeth W. ..	..	..	..	..		1 1 0
Herbage, W., Esq. ..	..	..	..	..		1 1 0
Hocart, Mrs. ..	..	..	..	..		1 1 0
Holbrook, J., Esq. ..	..	..	..	..	10 6	
Holland, Mrs. ..	..	..	..	..		1 0 0
Hollins, John, Esq. ..	..	..	..	..		1 1 0
Holmes, General, P. ..	..	..	..	..		1 0 0
Holmsted, T., Esq. ..	..	..	..	..		10 6
Horner, Miss ..	..	..	..	..		10 6
Houghton, Miss ..	..	..	..	..		1 1 0
Houldsworth, J. H., Esq. ..	..	..	..	..		10 0 0
Hovenden, F., Esq. ..	..	..	..	..		1 1 0
Howard, Joseph, Esq., J.P. ..	..	..	..	..		1 1 0
Hugo, Mrs. ..	..	..	..	..		5 0
Jackman, C. E., Esq. ..	..	..	..	..		1 1 0
James, Miss E. E. ..	..	..	..	..	5 0	
Jervis, Miss ..	..	..	..	..		1 1 0
Johnceline, E. C., Esq. ..	..	..	..	..		1 1 0
Johnston, Mrs. ..	..	..	..	..		2 2 0
Johnstone, Mrs. ..	..	..	..	..		1 0 0
Jones, Mrs. Lindley ..	..	..	..	..		1 1 0
Jones, Parry, Miss ..	..	..	..	..		1 0 0
Joseph, Moritz G., Esq. ..	..	..	..	..		2 2 0
Joseph, Mrs. M. G. ..	..	..	..	..		1 1 0
Justice, Miss H. E. ..	..	..	..	..		1 1 0
Kendall, Surgeon Major B. ..	..	..	..	..		1 1 0
Kimber, Sir Henry ..	..	..	..	..		2 2 0
Kirby, John, Esq. ..	..	..	..	..	1 1 0	
Kirby-Turner, Mrs. ..	..	..	..	..		10 6
Knight, James, Esq. ..	..	..	..	..		1 1 0
Knowles, Miss ..	..	..	..	..		1 1 0
Knox, H. T. C., Esq. ..	..	..	..	..		10 0
Lake, Mrs ..	..	..	..	..	10 0	
Lambert, E. W., Esq. ..	..	..	..	..	10 10 0	1 1 0
Amounts forward ..					£471 8 11	£418 9 0

					Donations.			Subscriptions.		
					£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Amounts forward ..					471	8	11	418	9	6
Lambrick, J., Esq.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Lancaster, Miss E.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Langford, J., Esq.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Latham, F. L., Esq.	..	..	..	..	1	0	0			
Laurie, J. M., Esq.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Lawrence, Miss A. J.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Leachman, A. W., Esq., M.D...	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Leathersellers, The Worshipful Company of								26	5	0
Leister, Miss	..	..	..	..				2	2	0
Lempriere, Miss	..	..	..	..				2	2	0
Leo, The Misses	..	..	..	..				1	0	0
Leslie, A., Esq.	..	..	..	..				10	6	
Lewis, Miss Waller	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Lillico, W., Esq...	..	..	..	..	1	1	0			
Lindsay, Lady	..	..	..	..				2	0	0
Linnecar, G. W., Esq.	..	..	..	..	5	0				
Livesay, G., Esq.	..	..	..	..				3	3	0
Lloyd, Mrs. R. S.	..	..	..	..				15	0	0
Lloyd, Mrs. Theodore	..	..	..	..				5	5	0
Lloyd-Verney, Mrs.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Lock, Miss E.	..	..	..	..				10	0	
Loughurst, Mr. & Mrs...	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Love, Miss, per:—										
Gilkison, D. S., Esq...	..	..	..	..				2	0	0
Llewelyn, Lady	..	..	..	..	1	1	0			
Love, Miss H.	..	..	..	..				1	0	0
Love, Wm. McNaughton, Esq	..	..	..	..				2	2	0
Mackinnon, Duncan, Esq.	..	..	..	..				5	0	0
Mackinnon, Mrs.	..	..	..	..				2	2	0
Niven, G., Esq.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Paulin, D., Esq.	..	..	..	..				1	0	0
Lumley, Claude Basil, Esq.	..	..	..	..			10 6			
Lumley, Messrs. Lumley and	..	..	..	..	1	1	0			
Lumsden, Robt., Esq.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
MacCall, Mrs.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
MacDonald, Mrs. E. L...	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Macfarren, Lady	..	..	..	..				2	2	0
Mackenzie, Mrs. J. V.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Mackinlay, Lieut. Colonel G.	..	..	..	..				1	0	0
Maitland, A. C. R., Esq.	..	..	..	..	1	10	6			
Manns, Lady	..	..	..	..				2	2	0
Mann, Miss	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Maréchaux, Miss A.	..	..	..	..			10 0			
Marshall, Mrs.	..	..	..	..				10	0	
Martin, H. J., Esq.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Martin, Mrs. H. J.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Marzetti, C., Esq.	..	..	..	..				2	0	0
Mason, Mrs.	..	..	..	..			10 0			
Mathew, Mrs.	..	..	..	..				2	2	0
Matthews, Mrs.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Matthews, Mrs.	..	..	..	..	1	1	0			
Amounts forward ..					£479	18	11	£518	5	0

	Amounts forward	Donations			Subscriptions		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Maxwell, Miss	479	18	11	518	5	0
Maxwell, Mrs. Heron		10	6	1	0	0
May, J. E., Esq.	1	1	0			
McKenzie, G. G. C., Esq., and Friend	1	1	0			
" M. C. N."				5	5	0
Mee, The Misses I. & A.				10	0	
Mellor, G. H., Esq.				10	6	
Micholls, Mrs., per Lady Cockburn	1	1	0			
Miller, F. G., Esq.		10	0			
Millidge, Miss				2	2	0
Moeller, Mrs.				1	1	0
Moore, A. J., Esq.				1	1	0
Morehead, Miss A.				10	0	
Morehead, Miss K.				10	0	
Morgan, Miss				10	0	
Morris, Mrs. Capel				3	3	0
Morse, Mrs.				1	1	0
Morse, Sidney, Esq.	25	0	0			
Mullins, Mrs. E. A.				1	1	0
Nettlefold, F., Esq.				10	10	0
Nettleton, Mr. & Mrs.	1	0	0			
Newberry, Mrs.	5	0	0			
Nobbs, J. H., Esq.				1	1	0
North, C., Esq.				1	1	0
Northampton, The Rt. Hon. the Marquis of	..				5	0	0
Notting, Wm., Esq.				1	1	0
Nutt, Mrs.				1	1	0
Ogle, Miss.				5	0	0
Paget, Mrs. R. M.				1	1	0
Palmer, Miss				2	10	0
Palmer, Mrs. E. Cleaves				1	1	0
Parker, Miss				1	0	0
Parker, C. E., Esq.				1	1	0
Paul, R., Esq.				10	6	
Paulin, Mrs.				1	2	6
Paxton, Miss J. F.				1	1	0
Penn, Mrs.				5	0	
Pentland, Miss				1	1	0
Phelps, Miss				1	1	0
Pontifex, Marshall, Esq.				1	1	0
Pontifex, Mrs.				10	0	
Pope, Miss				1	0	0
Pott, Mrs.				2	2	0
Powell, Mrs. Grove	15	0				
Prout, E., Esq., Mus. Doc.				1	1	0
Quare, Mr. & Mrs., per G. M. C.	2	2	0			
Quarterman, Wm., Esq. (collected)		5	3			
Amounts forward	£518	4	8	£578	11	6

	Amounts forward ..	Donations.			Subscriptions.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Ramsey, Miss	518	4	8	578	11	6
Ramsey, Mrs. Williamson				1	1	0
Rankin, Mrs.				5	5	0
Ransom, A., Esq.				1	1	0
Rawsthorne, H., Esq.				1	1	0
Rea, W. W., Esq.				1	1	0
Reckitt, Mrs. George				5	0	
Reed, G. H., Esq.				1	1	0
Reed, W. J., Esq.				10	6	
Reep, The Misses				1	1	0
Reid, Jas., Esq.				2	2	0
Rendell, Miss				10	0	
Richards, Miss (collected)	1	6	0			
Roberts, R., Esq.				5	0	
Robertson, Mrs. Nisbet				1	1	0
Robinson, John H., Esq.				2	2	0
Roche, Mrs. G. B.				1	1	0
Rooke, Mrs.				1	0	0
Rose, Miss				2	2	0
Rouse, E. T., Esq.				5	0	
Russell, J. A., Esq.				1	1	0
Rylands, the late Mrs.				5	0	0
St. Germans, The Rt. Hon. the Earl of				1	1	0
St. John the Evangelist, Collection at the Church of	15	0	0			
St. Michaels, Cornhill, Offertory	3	2	0			
St. Stephens, East Dulwich, Offertory	15	5	5			
Salter, Miss		7	0			
Samuel, Miss				1	1	0
Samuel, Miss L.				1	1	0
Saunders, Mrs., per Dr. Howard	10	0				
Saward, Mr. & Mrs.	5	0	0			
"S. B. S."				2	2	0
Schuster, F. L., Esq.				2	2	0
Schwartz, C. E. R., Esq.				1	1	0
Searle, Miss Clive		2	6			
Sells, H. Martin, Esq.				1	1	0
Sewell, Colonel and Miss	1	10	0			
Sharp, Rev. J., M.A.				1	1	0
Sharp, Wm., Esq.				1	1	0
Shawe, Miss Emily				5	0	
Shrubsall, G., Esq.				2	2	0
Shuttleworth, Lord				2	2	0
Shuttleworth, Mrs.				1	1	0
Silcock, Mrs.	1	1	0			
Simpson, H., Esq.	10	0				
Simpson, Mrs.				2	2	0
Sleight, E., Esq.				10	0	
Small, Mr. & Mrs.				1	1	0
Smeed, Miss G. S.	2	10	0	5	0	0
Smith, Chas., Esq.				10	6	
Amounts forward	£564	8	7	£634	12	6

					Donations.			Subscriptions.		
					£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Amounts forward ..					564	8	7	634	12	6
Smith, Miss E. C., per G. M. C.	..	..	..	..				10	6	
Smith, F. L., Esq.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Smith, George, Esq.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Smith, G. Poole, Esq.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Smith, John, Esq.	..	..	..	..				2	2	0
Smith, Mrs. Henry	..	..	..	..				2	2	0
Smith, The Hon. W. F. D.	..	..	..	..	20	0	0			
Sobey, Miss K.	..	..	..	..		5	0			
South, Miss	..	..	..	..				2	2	0
Spens, Archibald L., Esq.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Spottiswoode, Miss Augusta	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Sprague, Mrs.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Stapley & Smith, Messrs.	..	..	..	..				3	3	0
Stevens, Miss Charlotte	..	..	..	..	1	1	0			
Stewart, Major-General	..	..	..	..				1	0	0
Stiebel, D. C., Esq.	..	..	..	..	10	10	0			
Stocks, J. S., Esq.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Strachan, Mrs. M.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Straghan, Colonel A., C.B.	..	..	..	..				1	0	0
Strange, Miss L. G.	..	..	..	..				2	2	0
Strong, J. B., Esq.	..	..	..	..				10	6	
"Sunday at Home," From Readers of the	..	..	..	..	3	5	0			
Sutton, Arthur W., Esq.	..	..	..	..				2	2	0
Symons, Simon, Esq.	..	..	..	..				5	5	0
Talintyre, Mrs.	..	..	..	..				10	6	
Tapling, Messrs. Thos.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Tarbutt, Mrs. Percy	..	..	..	..	2	0	0			
Tata, Mrs. D. J.	..	..	..	..	1	0	0			
Taylor, Mrs.	..	..	..	..	1	1	0			
Taylor, Sedley, Esq.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Tebb, J. H., Esq.	..	..	..	..	2	2	0			
Tebb, Miss	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Tebb, Mrs.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Tennant, John, Esq.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Tennent, R. J. Stewart, Esq.	..	..	..	..				10	0	
Thomas, Miss	..	..	..	..				2	2	0
Thompson, Mrs.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Thompson, Mrs.	..	..	..	..	10	0				
Thompson, Sir Herhert, Bt.	..	..	..	..				3	3	0
Tindal, Mrs.	..	..	..	..	1	1	0			
Tollemache, The Hon. Mrs. Lionel	..	..	..	..				5	0	0
Tollemache, Miss (per G. M. C.)	..	..	..	..				10	6	
Torkington, Miss A.	..	..	..	..				10	6	
Torkington, Miss E.	..	..	..	..				10	6	
Townsend, J., Esq., J.P.	..	..	..	..				2	2	0
Tubbs, Mrs. F. C.	..	..	..	..				1	1	0
Turner, Miss (collected)	..	..	..	..	10	0				
Turner, Miss	..	..	..	..				5	0	
Turner, Walton F., Esq.	..	..	..	..				5	0	
Tyer, Miss E. M.	..	..	..	..				10	6	
Amounts forward ..					£607	13	7	£688	6	4

				Donations.			Subscriptions.		
				£	s.	£.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward ..				607	13	7	688	6	4
Upper Norwood Literary and Scientific Society (Proceeds of Concert)				7	13	0			
Vacher, F., Esq., M.D.							1	1	0
Vickess, Miss G. R.							10	6	
Vickess, Miss R. E.							5	0	
Vickess, Miss S. E.							5	0	
Viney, Mrs.							1	0	0
Voss, Herman, Esq.				2	2	0			
Voysey, Rev. Chas.				1	11	0			
Waite, Mr. H. (collected)				2	6				
Walker, J. Douglas, Esq.				2	2	0			
Walker, Mr. & Mrs. Hay				10	0	0			
Waller, The Rev. J.							1	1	0
Walrond, Mrs. M. L.							1	1	0
Walton, Miss							2	2	0
Wandsworth and Putney Women's Liberal Association (collected)				1	16	6			
Warde, Miss							1	1	0
Warmington, Mrs. F. W.				1	1	0			
Warner, H. E., Esq.							1	1	0
Warren, Miss S. W.							2	2	0
Warren, T. P., Esq.							2	2	0
Washington, Miss S.							1	1	0
Watling, Mrs.							1	1	0
Wedmore, E. T., Esq.							1	1	0
Wedmore, Mrs. Frederick							10	6	
Welch, Miss							1	1	0
Wells, T. H., Esq.							1	1	0
West, Miss M. C.							10	6	
West, Mrs. H.							3	3	0
West, The late Robert G., Esq.							10	6	
Westbury, Lady							2	2	0
Western, E. Y., Esq.							2	2	0
Western, Geo. A., Esq.							5	5	0
Westlake, Mrs.							3	3	0
Westmore, Mr. & Mrs. A. S.							1	1	0
White, Mrs.							1	0	0
White, Mrs. Orr							2	2	0
Whitfield, Mrs.							1	0	0
Whitworth, G. C., Esq.							1	1	0
Wilkinson, Miss				1	0	0			
Willett, Miss							1	1	0
Williams, Miss							1	0	0
Woodd, C. G., Esq., M.R.C.S.				1	1	0			
Wright, F. C., Esq.							1	10	0
Wright, Miss Mary Victoria				5	0	0			
Wright, Mrs.							1	1	0
Wright, Mrs.							1	1	0
"W. S. H."							1	1	0
Young, Godfrey, Esq.							2	2	0
				£641	2	7	£739	9	0

Contributions

TO THE

SCHOLARSHIP FUND AND ON BEHALF OF PARTICULAR PUPILS.

RECEIVED FROM JANUARY 1ST TO DECEMBER 31ST, 1907.

	£	s.	d.
A Friend	12	0	0
Aiton, A. H., Esq.	24	0	0
Armitage, Miss A. S.	60	0	0
Armitage, Mrs.	20	0	0
Bannister, A., Esq.	7	10	0
Batts, Mr. W.	7	10	0
Baugh, Mr.	39	0	0
Bishop, Mrs.	26	12	0
Blenkarn, Mr. W.	12	0	0
Brixton Charity Organization Society	7	10	0
Brook, Mr.	1	15	0
Buckingham, Mr.	35	0	0
Burrell, Mr. R.	20	0	0
Buscall, R. H., Esq.	60	0	0
Bussell, Mrs.	1	0	0
Campbell, The Rt. Hon. Jas. Alex., LL.D.	5	0	0
Cartwright, Mr. Geo.	10	10	0
Caslake, Mr. W.	25	0	0
Clarke, Mr. W.	30	0	0
Coe, H. H., Esq.	11	13	4
Crowley, Mrs.	5	0	0
Dalzell, Mrs.	36	10	0
Dent, Mrs.	25	0	0
Dixon, Mr. A. E.	3	10	0
Doughty-Wylie, Mrs.	10	0	0
Drake, Mr. J. R.	7	6	8
Edinburgh Committee, per J. P. Coldstream, Esq., W.S.	30	0	0
Elliott, Mr. J.	8	15	0
Evans, Mr. W.	14	0	0
Fairhurst, Mr. T.	17	10	0
FitzGibbon, J. B., Esq.	35	0	0
Fleming, Mrs.	10	10	0
Fookes, Mrs.	35	0	0
Gardner's Trust	2,732	0	0
" " Technical	440	0	0
George, Miss	10	0	0
Amounts forward	£3,836	2	0

							£	s.	d.
					Amounts forward	..	3,836	2	0
Gilchrist, James, Esq.	..	..	..	..	..	..	35	0	0
Giles, Mr.	..	..	..	..	..	..	45	0	0
Glasgow Committee, per W. Auchincloss Arrol, Esq.	..	..	..	..	..	..	343	18	0
Gourley, Mr.	..	..	..	..	..	..	25	0	0
Greg, Mrs.	..	..	..	..	..	..	25	0	0
Guardians—									
Bermondsey	..	..	..	..	..	..	25	0	0
Brentford	..	..	..	..	..	..	25	0	0
Bristol	..	..	..	..	..	..	25	0	0
Camberwell	..	..	..	..	..	..	45	0	0
Croydon	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	10	0
Docking	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	19	4
Hackney	..	..	..	..	..	..	25	0	0
Hammersmith	..	..	..	..	..	..	25	0	0
Lambeth	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	15	0
Lanchester	..	..	..	..	..	..	25	0	0
Leighton Buzzard	..	..	..	..	..	..	25	0	0
Lewisham	..	..	..	..	..	..	24	10	3
Lutterworth	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	3	5
Middlesbrough	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	15	0
Newcastle	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	15	0
Paddington	..	..	..	..	..	..	20	9	8
St. Pancras	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	15	0
Strood	..	..	..	..	..	..	26	5	0
Tendring	..	..	..	..	..	..	21	17	6
Wandsworth	..	..	..	..	..	..	25	0	0
West Ham	..	..	..	..	..	..	50	0	0
Wortley	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	15	0
Hants and Isle of Wight School and Home for the Blind	..	..	..	..	..	..	40	0	0
Harris, Mr. A. H.	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	0	0
Hayes Industrial School for Jewish Boys	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	0	0
Hill, Mrs.	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	10	0
Howe, G. B., Esq.	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	0
Huddersfield Home Teaching Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	67	10	0
Hunt, The Rev. Alfred, M.A.	..	..	..	..	..	..	16	5	0
Irwin, Mr. J. C.	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	0	0
Jackson, R. S., Esq., M.P.	..	..	..	..	..	..	65	0	0
Jameson, T., Esq.	..	..	..	..	..	..	85	0	0
Johnson, Mrs.	..	..	..	..	..	..	17	10	0
Jones, A. P., Esq.	..	..	..	..	..	..	37	1	0
King, Mr. R.	..	..	..	..	..	..	54	17	6
Kirkpatrick, Mrs.	..	..	..	..	..	..	35	0	0
Lakeman, N. F., Esq.	..	..	..	..	..	..	45	0	0
Lange, Miss Everwyn	..	..	..	..	..	..	40	6	0
Laurie, Mr.	..	..	..	..	..	..	20	0	0
Lawson, Mr. A.	..	..	..	..	..	..	25	0	0
Layton, Mr. P.	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	0	0
					Amounts forward	..	£5,365	10	8

							£	s.	d.
					Amounts forward	..	5,365	10	8
Liverpool, School for the Blind	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	0	0
Lloyd, Mrs. R. S.	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	0	0
Loe, Mr.	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	3	4
Logan, J., Esq.	..	..	..	..	..	..	31	10	0
Lungley, Mr. G. W...	..	..	..	..	..	..	25	0	0
Maxwell, Sir John Stirling, Bt.	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	0	0
McInerny, Mr.	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	2	8
McMeekin, James, Esq.	..	..	..	..	..	..	35	0	0
McMillan, Mr. Wm.	..	..	..	..	..	..	19	10	0
Mickleburgh, A. G., Esq.	..	..	..	..	..	..	20	0	0
Miner, Mrs.	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	0	0
Mines, Mr. J. H.	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	0	0
Morris, Mr. C. H.	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	0	0
Moyes, Mr. A. C.	..	..	..	..	..	..	20	0	0
National Incorporated Association for the Reclamation of Destitute Waif Children	..	..	..	..	..	..	20	0	0
Owen, Mr. R.	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	0	0
Owen, Mr. T. M.	..	..	..	..	..	..	25	0	0
Page, Mr. W. S.	..	..	..	..	..	..	35	0	0
Proceeds of Concert at Richmond, per Mrs. Shnittleworth	..	..	..	..	..	..	62	0	6
Reed, Mr. G. H.	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	10	0
Robinson, F. W., Esq.	..	..	..	..	..	..	32	10	0
Salomons, L. J., Esq.	..	..	..	..	..	..	25	0	0
School Authorities—									
Beckenham	..	..	..	..	..	..	29	14	10
Bedfordshire	..	..	..	..	..	..	35	0	0
Berkshire	..	..	..	..	..	..	25	0	0
Blackburn	..	..	..	..	..	..	25	0	0
Bradford	..	..	..	..	..	..	45	0	0
Bristol	..	..	..	..	..	..	15	0	0
Cardiganshire	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	0	0
Croydon	..	..	..	..	..	..	60	0	0
Cumberland	..	..	..	..	..	..	32	10	0
Durham	..	..	..	..	..	..	16	13	4
East Ham	..	..	..	..	..	..	26	5	0
East Suffolk	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	15	0
East Sussex	..	..	..	..	..	..	35	0	0
Flintshire	..	..	..	..	..	..	25	0	0
Gateshead	..	..	..	..	..	..	25	0	0
Glamorgan	..	..	..	..	..	..	53	0	0
Hull	..	..	..	..	..	..	25	0	0
Ilford	..	..	..	..	..	..	35	0	0
Kent	..	..	..	..	..	..	100	0	0
Lewes	..	..	..	..	..	..	30	0	0
Liverpool	..	..	..	..	..	..	24	3	4
Amounts forward	..	..	..	..	..	..	£6,465	18	8

	£	s.	d.
Amounts forward	6,465	18	8
School Authorities—			
London	90	0	0
London (Gardner Scholarships)	104	0	0
London (Higher Education Scholarships)	89	0	0
Merthyr Tydfil	12	10	0
Middlesex	47	10	0
Mountain Ash	10	8	4
Newcastle	25	0	0
Norfolk	25	0	0
Northamptonshire	31	2	11
Northumberland	10	8	4
Penge	45	0	0
Pontypridd	6	5	0
Richmond (Surrey)	8	6	8
Rochdale	35	0	0
Staffordshire	42	10	0
Stoke-on-Trent	10	0	0
Surrey	85	0	0
Twickenham	35	0	0
Tynemouth	15	0	0
West Ham	72	10	0
West Riding of Yorkshire	7	3	5
Willesden	12	10	0
Wood Green	11	5	0
Sharpe, Mrs.	29	11	0
Smith, Miss E.	1	1	0
Spittle, Mr. A.	35	0	0
Steel, Mr.	20	0	0
Stephen, W. H., Esq.	10	10	0
Strangways, Mrs.	5	0	0
Sullivan, Mr. R.	14	0	0
Swansea and South Wales Institution for the Blind	38	0	0
Thurston, Mrs.	25	0	0
Titely, Mrs.	20	0	0
United Westminster Almshouses	10	0	0
Urch, Robert, Esq. (Collected)	7	15	0
Uridge, Mrs.	5	0	0
Wilkinson, Mr. J. O.	7	10	0
Williams, Mrs.	60	0	0
Yardley, The Misses	10	0	0
	<u>£7,585</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>4</u>

DONATIONS AND SUBSCRIPTIONS
TO THE
Mortgage Redemption Fund,

RECEIVED DURING 1907.

	Donations			Subscriptions.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brocklehurst, Mrs. 	10	0	0			
Brown, G. Balcombe, Esq. 	1	0	0			
Burstow Church (Offertories) per Rev. C. J. Walbrand Evans 	21	0	0			
Connell, Fredk. A. H., Esq. 	5	0	0			
Longhurst, Mr. & Mrs... 	5	5	0			
Millard, Miss B. T. 	2	10	0			
Roberts, C, Esq. 				1	0	0
Roche, G. B., Esq. 				2	2	0
Scoles, Mrs. 	5	0	0			
Threlfall, Charles, Esq. 	5	0	0			
	<u>£54</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>£3</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>0</u>

Legacies during the Year.

	£	s.	d.
Cohen, The Executors of the late Miss 	90	0	0
Gardiner, The Executors of the late A. F., Esq. 	18	0	0
Hill, The Executors of the late Mrs. 	100	0	0
Toole, The Executors of the late J. L., Esq. 	180	0	0
	<u>£388</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

Special Contributions.

						£	s.	d.
Arrol, Mrs. Wm. Auchincloss (Prize)	..	..	..	..	..	10	0	0
Tebb, Wm. Esq.	..	..	..	..	..	100	0	0

Legacies.

						£	s.	d.
Amounts received previously to 1899	..	..	..	..	..	19,076	17	4
1901.	March 11.	The late Abram Mocatta, Esq.	..	..	..	50	0	0
„	September 2.	The late R. Bowerman West, Esq.	..	..	..	400	0	0
1902.	April 23.	The late Mrs. Pate	..	..	..	200	0	0
1903.	March 23.	The late Mrs. Curzon	..	..	..	200	0	0
„	June 29.	The late Mrs. Neidhart	..	..	..	2	7	6
„	December 31.	The late Miss Doxat	..	..	..	1,000	0	0
1904.	July 11.	The late Miss Steele	..	..	..	450	0	0
„	August 12.	The late Miss L. B. Courtney	..	..	..	450	0	0
„	„ 15.	The late Miss Flora Goldsmid	..	..	..	50	0	0
„	September 26.	The late B. Hocart, Esq.	..	..	..	100	0	0
„	October 31.	The late Mrs. J. L. M. Dearman	..	..	..	100	0	0
1905.	January 19.	The late G. J. Morton, Esq.	..	..	..	30	0	0
„	March 3.	The late Miss M. Doxat	..	..	..	1,000	0	0
„	„ 6.	The late Thos. Hopkinson, Esq.	..	..	..	180	0	0
„	„ 29.	The late Miss A. J. Bathurst	..	..	..	200	0	0
„	July 19.	The late F. D. Mocatta, Esq.	..	..	..	500	0	0
„	August 3.	The late Horaco Harral, Esq.	..	..	..	500	0	0
1906.	January 3.	The late J. L. Toole, Esq.	..	..	..	250	0	0
„	May 4.	The late Miss Cohen	..	..	..	225	0	0
„	June 18.	The late Mrs. Hill	..	..	..	100	0	0
„	July 31.	The late A. F. Gardiner, Esq.	..	..	..	250	0	0
„	October 19.	The late Mrs. J. A. Jeggins	..	..	..	90	0	0
„	November 16.	The late Dr. T. Trollope	..	..	..	100	0	0

Legacies received during 1907 are acknowledged on page 79.

REGULATIONS FOR VISITING THE COLLEGE.

Subscribers and friends who may wish to visit the College can do so on application to the Principal. Special Visitors' Day, first Thursday afternoon in each month, except during January, August, and September. Visitors will have an opportunity of inspecting the various departments from 3.15 p.m.

Parents or friends can visit the pupils on the first Wednesday in November, February, April, and June, between 3 and 5.30 p.m. If, for any special reason, parents wish to see their children at other times, they should write to the Principal for an appointment. As a rule, it is not expected that more than two friends will visit any pupil on the same afternoon. When visiting the College, parents are earnestly requested not to bring young children with them. *Friends cannot visit the pupils on Sunday; this rule is strictly enforced.* Parents are specially requested not to bring or send sweets or eatables to the children. If the children go out with their parents, they must not undertake commissions for other pupils.

The College is situated at Upper Norwood. The principal entrance is in Westow Street. An outline Map, showing the position of the College and of the different Railway Stations in the neighbourhood, will be found on the next page.

The Principal can be seen on business by appointment.

INFORMATION FOR INTENDING CONTRIBUTORS.

Annual Subscriptions, Donations, and Legacies are earnestly requested, and will be thankfully received by the Hon. Treasurer or by the Principal, at the College.

Cheques and Post Office Orders should be crossed, and may be drawn in favour of The Rt. Hon. Lord Stalbridge, Hon. Treasurer, or the Principal, F. J. Campbell, Esq., LL.D., "Windermere," Church Road, Upper Norwood, S.E.

The Principal will be happy to furnish any further information, and to forward copies of reports and various papers to all who may be willing to assist in bringing the claims of the College to the notice of the public.

FORM OF BEQUEST.

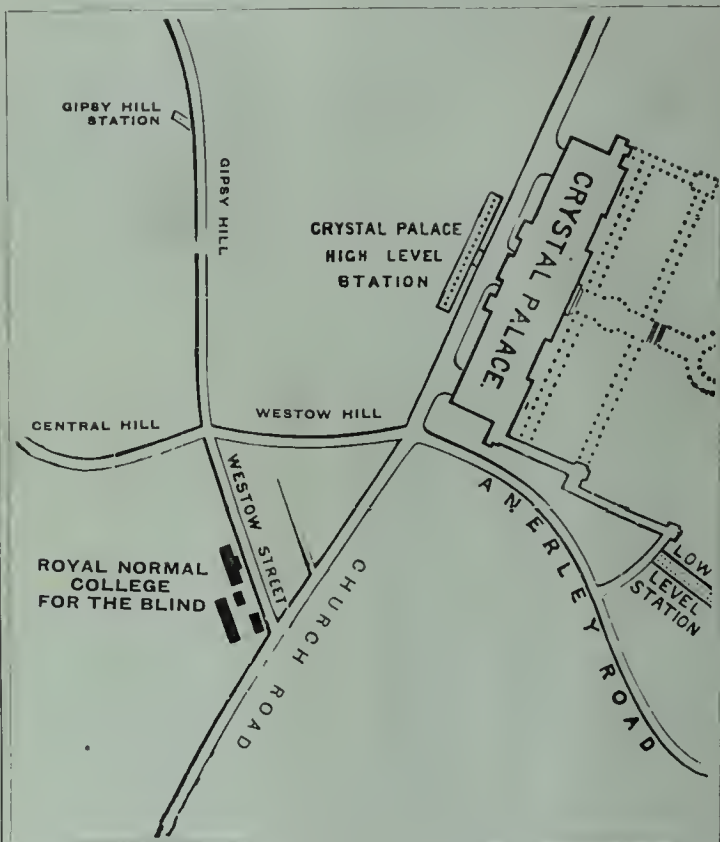
I bequeath to the ROYAL NORMAL COLLEGE AND ACADEMY OF MUSIC FOR THE BLIND, at Upper Norwood, for the general purposes of that Institution, the sum of _____, free of legacy duty, and the receipt of the Treasurer or one of the Treasurers for the time being of that Institution, shall be a good discharge for such legacy.

N.B.—Any property may now be given by Will for charitable purposes.

The Will or Codicil must be signed by the Testator in the presence of two witnesses, who must subscribe their names in his presence and in the presence of each other.

OUTLINE MAP.

Showing the Position of the College at Upper Norwood, and of the Railway Stations in the Neighbourhood.



The Public are cordially invited to visit this College.

*Regulations for Visitors will be found on the 3rd page of the Cover
of this Report.*